

# MAKER OF

# RAILWAYS

# IS DEAD

**Henry M. Flagler's Greatest  
Triumph Was "Over  
Sea" Line to Key  
West.**

West Palm Beach, Fla., May 26.—Henry M. Flagler, aged eighty-three, capitalist and railroad magnate, died this morning at his winter home here this morning after an illness of several weeks. Flagler recently fell down a flight

steps in his home, and because of advanced age his recovery had been anticipated.

Henry M. Frazier was born at Candageau, N. Y., in 1836. Little is known of his early life except that he was clerk in a grocery in Orleans county, Michigan, while in his teens. Later removed to Saginaw, Mich., where

Becoming interested in the petroleum industry he moved to Cleveland, where he organized the firm of Rockefeller, Andrews & Flower, oil liners. The Standard Oil company is the outgrowth of this, and Mr. Flower afterward remained actively connected with its management.

In 1884 Mr. Flagler paid his first visit to Florida and became impressed with the business possibilities presented there by the railroad field, in connection with the development of winter resorts.

**BUILT \$3,000,000 HOTELS**

Mr. Flagler built the Florida East Coast railroad and later erected three hotels and several smaller ones.

**"FLAGLER'S FOLLY."**  
His greatest achievement was the design of his railroad from Miami Key West. For many years his plan was labeled as impracticable and called "Flagler's folly." The opening of this "water road" line is regarded as one of the engineering triumphs of

age.

STANDARD OIL, MAN

Mr. Hagler was also president-director of the Standard Oil company and chairman of the board of directors of the Florida East Coast railway and Jacksonville Terminal company, director of the Western Union Telegraph company, Marine Trust company and other corporations.

**DEATH EXPECTED.**  
For the last few weeks Mr. Eads had been losing practically all his vitality and his death was expected. Several of his relatives and business associates had been summoned to bedchamber.

The body will be buried in a parlor at St. Augustine, in the presence of the Memorial church which he gave.

At Mr. Flagler's bedside were  
son, Harry, who arrived yesterday  
Europe, and Rev. H. George Mur  
nals pastor, who will conduct the fun  
services.

# TO FOLLOW HUSBAND

The ruling was in the case of a Collet, who sued his wife, Mary, for divorce because she declined to live with him on a farm. The action was brought in the Vermont supreme court, where the action was begun. The court refused to grant the divorce and the case was appealed to the Vermont supreme court. The couple were married in 1876 for twenty-five years thereafter.

**THE WEATHER.**  
Chicago, May 24.  
Following are

weather indicated  
until 7 o'clock  
on Wednesday  
showers in  
portion tonight  
Wednesday on  
south portion  
night or Wed-  
nesday warmer

**SPECIAL REPORT AND FORECAST**

Springfield, May 20. The western low  
cloud area is advancing northward and  
will cause showers in this vicinity today  
Wednesday. Cooler weather will follow  
passage of this disturbance. Showers  
again throughout the southwest and

The temperature has fallen in Colorado. Nebraska but chance elsewhere have been important.

**Local observations.**

Following is the range of temperature recorded at Professor J. H. Comrad, U. S. states weather observer.

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|----------------------|----|
| 1 a.m. Tuesday ..... | 61 |
| Noon Tuesday .....   | 87 |
| Highest Monday ..... | 78 |
| Lowest Tuesday ..... | 55 |

# FIREMEN AND VETERANS JOIN

## To Pay Homage to Mt. Pulaski Dead.

Mr. Pulaski, May 29.—The Phoenix fire department of Mt. Pulaski is making arrangements for its annual observance of Memorial Day in conjunction with Sam Walker Post G. A. R. There are a number of fire "laddies" buried in the Mt. Pulaski cemetery and once a year the surviving members make a pilgrimage there and strew the graves with flowers.

The local G. A. R. Post is weak physically and financially and so the Phoenix fire department bears all of the expenses, arranges the program and makes all arrangements. The committee usually engages the band, hires a good speaker, gets the flowers and has a parade consisting of the band, G. A. R. firemen, flower girls and boys and carriages. Then in the evening after supper the band gives one of its open air concerts and every body turns out and enjoys the music.

### HOME FROM MISSOURI.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Althoff came home Thursday from New London, Mo., where they visited for two weeks with Miss Lucille Glanbeck.

### OTHER NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hillis and children returned to Lincoln today and after a short stay there with their parents, will go on to Chicago where they will make their home for the present.

Mrs. Lucille Robinson and her sister, Miss Winnifred Obermiller, visited the last three or four days in Peoria with their sister, Miss Winnifred Obermiller.

Mrs. Jacob Volle was a week end visitor in Decatur at the home of her son, Henry Volle and family.

Dr. Fred W. Reinhardt was in Peoria all of last week attending the Illinois state dental convention. Mrs. Reinhardt, during his absence, visited in Decatur at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Anderson.

A suit in assumpsit was recently filed in Lincoln by the Rosenthal and Simon Millinery Co. vs. Leah Betts of Mt. Pulaski, for the sum of \$372.73. Miss Betts' present home is in Keosauqua, Ia.

C. F. Schaefer, John England, Chris Danner, Mrs. John E. Lucas, Mrs. J. S. Treft and Miss Stella Meyer were Springfield visitors last week.

### HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.

The senior class of the Mt. Pulaski township high school will hold its first annual commencement exercises on Wednesday evening, May 21, in the Scroggin opera house. Admission this year will be free and the following program will be carried out:

Invocation.  
"The Light Hearted Fairy"—Girls' Glee club.  
Oration, "The Hearth Broom"—Miss Gretchen Flegenschuh.  
Music—Boys' Glee club.  
Commencement address—State Superintendent F. G. Blair.  
Spring Song—Girls' Glee club.  
Oration, "Our National Safeguard"—Nicholas Hubbard.  
"A Student's View"—Boys' Glee club.  
Presentation of diplomas—Superintendent G. E. Henderson.  
Music—Boys' and Girls' chorus.

### MEMBERS.

The class of 1913 is composed of George Meister, Paul Gruber, Nicholas Hubbard, Elmer Allsoph, Guy Scroggin, Webster Purviance, Clarence DeFrees and the Misses Gretchen Flegenschuh and Grace Griffen.

The class motto is, "Humbly Though the Rocks be Rugged." Class colors, brown and gold.

Their first child was born Thursday, May 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bohel of South Marion street.

Mrs. W. A. Schaefer is making a two week visit in Decatur at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Arnold and family.

Mrs. Fred Null visited in Peoria last week.

The "Bells of Eifarnie" by local talent, was given at the Scroggin opera house Monday night.

### TEACHER ENGAGED.

Miss Ruth Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Snyder, who taught the King school near Harteburg the past two years, has been engaged to teach the seventh and eighth grades in the school at Latham. Miss Snyder is a graduate of the Mt. Pulaski high school.

Mrs. Ralph Laughery was in Decatur last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Headrick.

F. L. Jamison, of Springfield, transacted business here last week for the Illinois Central railroad.

R. L. Corn, of Springfield, visited here last week.

Miss Ruth Rodgers, of Decatur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rodgers, returned home Sunday afternoon after spending the week here, the guest of Miss Nina Shoup at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shoup.

## Stop Paying Big

## Prices For Butter

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Is good 365 days a year.

## CHURNEDWELL

Watch for Saturday Special.

On Tuesday and Friday we have regular route deliveries.

We give double trading stamps every Wednesday.

## Loretta Butter

## & Cheese Co.

227 E. Eldorado.

### ARGENTA.

Miss Laura Dubont of Monticello, and Mrs. Robert Hathaway of Glen, visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Copeland. A surprise was given Mrs. M. M. Streater at her home Sunday in honor of her seventieth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Benton and Mrs. Kenneth Benton were in Decatur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Haddock visited Sunday with friends near Sangamon.

The proceeds of the play given by the pupils of the high school at the auditorium Friday evening, was \$75, which will be applied to the piano fund.

Samuel Hillbrand, Sr., is suffering with an attack of heart trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houston visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shuey. George Parr has resigned from a visit in Mississippi.

Mrs. Samuel Hillbrand visited Friday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kinney, Harry and Miss Grace Kinney were in Decatur Friday.

Robert Houston of Decatur, visited Friday with Mrs. J. P. Shuey and daughter.

Karl Longenbaugh of Dalton city, visited from Friday until Monday with friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Watson of Terra Haute, Ind., May 8, a daughter, Mrs. Watson was formerly Miss Gertrude Dickey of this place.

Mrs. Will White and Mrs. O. B. Shuey were visitors Monday in Decatur.

### OAKLEY.

Miss Edrick of Orem, will teach the Peoria school next term.

Miss Elsie spent Wednesday afternoon in Oakley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Bundy visited in Cerro Gordo Thursday.

Mrs. D. A. Hall was in Oakley Friday afternoon.

Miss Bailey will teach the Hess school this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno of Decatur, and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart of Decatur, called on D. L. Niskey Sunday.

Miss Roach spent Saturday evening and Sunday at John Muffa's.

Several of the farmers are busy shelling corn.

Mrs. George Vach visited her sister, Mrs. Amy Vach of Sangamon Sunday.

Mrs. Schrader has been visiting at J. B. F. Munch for several days.

Molly Day is slightly improved.

Mrs. W. F. Niskey is slowly improving.

Mrs. Mary MacFarland, of Decatur, Helen and Mrs. Thomas Goodpasture and daughter, visited at James Gansaw's Sunday.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Merris gave a birthday dinner in honor of the latter's father, Mr. Merris, among those present were "Aunt" Jenny Merris, Mr. and Mrs. Calver, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson of Decatur, Mrs. Mary Haines and daughter of Emory and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Niskey and several others.

# BIG TUSCOLA STORE CHANGES HANDS

## X. L. Wardall Sells Out to W. T. Wiley & Son.

Tuscola, May 29.—The X. L. Wardall department store, of which F. O. Stansberry is the manager, has been sold to W. T. Wiley of Chicago, who with his son, D. M. Wiley, will continue the business under the firm name of W. T. Wiley & Co.

The Wardall store was the oldest and second largest department store in the city and while the amount involved in the transfer was not given out it is supposed to be in the neighborhood of \$35,000. The senior member of the firm is now in Chicago purchasing new goods to add to the firm's stock and his son is here arranging the goods. The opening of the new concern will occur one week from today, May 27.

The Wardalls or some of their immediate family have been in the mercantile business in Tuscola for about a quarter of a century.

### OTHER NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pease of Latham were the guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Smith, driving over in their automobile.

Charles John, the father, was the guest of friends in Decatur Monday.

Miss Madison Kirk of Hindsboro is the guest of Tuscola friends. She will teach at Elm Point next year.

The Boy Scouts will hold a "bake" sale at John L. Warren's furniture store Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Ed M. Johnson, Indianapolis, Ind., to Mary E. Edwards, Garrett, Ind., \$25.  
Alice Rusham, Tuscola, to ... \$21.

Della Monrothead, Tuscola, to ... \$34.  
Clarence Boardman, Hindsboro, to ... \$33.  
Edna Mannin, Hindsboro, to ... \$19.  
Mrs. Isabelle Allison of Arcola, was the guest Monday of Deputy County Clerk Will Allison, her son.

### TEACHERS REEMPLOYED.

The board of education has reemployed eleven teachers in the public schools for the coming year. In addition Stanley Morris has been reelected superintendent of the schools and Miss Josephine Allen was named for first primary teacher at the main building.

The following is a list of teachers reelected:

High school:  
Latin—Miss Ethel V. Todd.  
Science—John Tinen.  
Music—Miss Nellie Beard.

Main building:  
Grammar room—Miss Eliza Edmondson.

Seventh grade—Mrs. Mae Patton-Sampson.

Sixth grade—Miss Francis Harshbarger.

Third primary—Miss Clara Crossman.

Second primary—Miss Minnie Phillips.

First primary—Miss Josephine Allen.

North ward:  
Fourth grade—Mrs. Dicie Copeland.

Third primary—Miss Effie Feagin.

First primary—Miss Cora Wells.

Rev. M. R. McPadden left Monday night for Dexter, Mo., to spend some time looking after his farming interests.

### BREAKS LEG ON HIS ENGINE.

Engineer Hartline, pulling the throttle of fast freight No. 55, extra, suffered a broken left leg while switching in the Tuscola yards Monday morning. He was resting his leg on the front of the boiler head, when, as he suddenly threw on the steam, the reverse lever, which was not completely caught by its clutch, flew back and struck his leg.

His injury was looked after by Dr. W. C. Blaine, the company physician, and the disabled man was taken to his home on the 10:16 morning passenger which was stopped opposite the doctor's office on Central avenue in order that Hartline might be carried across the right of way on a cot and loaded into the baggage car.

### LAKE CITY.

Mrs. Ed Myer and daughter, Elizabeth, were Decatur callers Wednesday.

Mrs. Mike Fitzgerald of Decatur, has been visiting relatives near here.

### MOVE TO DECATUR.

Mrs. Lennie Logan and daughters, Lorne and Gertrude, have moved their household furniture to Decatur, where they will make their home.

Tom Siggeston was a Decatur caller Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell and daughter, Mary, have been visiting relatives at Amosburg.

Miss Myrla Dickson was a Lovington caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vansickle were Decatur callers Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Graham and children of Decatur, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Della Wilson and daughter, Dorothy, of Virgin, are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Wilson was called here by the illness of her father, Stephen Byrum.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Blue visited relatives at Nashville over Sunday.

Mrs. Marvin Reeves and children of Decatur, have been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Will and son, Earl, of near Lovington, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Greenfield and son, Percy, of Outten, are visiting Joseph Black and family.

### Bladder Suffering

Of Elderly and Middle Aged People.

### QUICKLY CURED

Men or Women who are well along in years as well as the middle aged are generally subject to urinary troubles due to weakness of the urinary system.

Many suffer in this condition never seem to be able to effectively empty the bladder, always leaving a portion behind which keeps up the irritation and produces such pain and annoyance that life is made unbearable.

Again although the desire may be to urinate, there is scanty urination, attended by a severe strain, leaving an unsatisfied feeling as if the bladder had not been wholly emptied.

BURT'S TABLETS act directly on the urinary system by relieving the congested state of the affected parts and quickly improve the weakened condition. Price, 40 cents.

Mail orders filled by the Posttetter Chem. Co., M'F'ra, Peoria, Ill., who are so confident of the value of this remedy that they have authorized their agents to refund your money if you are not benefited after a careful trial.

Decatur Drug Co., Agents.

# The Charlotte

Women's and Misses' Outer Garments.

# One Day Sale

# Wednesday Only!

# 125 Handsome High-Grade All Wool Dress Skirts

Made up in the latest style, high girdle waist line with tucks and strap, trimmed with fine pearl buttons, others have plaits at bottom and are trimmed with pearl buttons; colors are Tan and Gray. Sizes 22 to 28 inch Bands. Lengths from 36 to 42 inches.

# All-Wool Dress Skirts

They Are Good \$5.00 VALUES

Your Choice

# \$1.98

You can save \$3.00 on your new skirt by buying here Wednesday.

SEE THEM IN SOUTH WINDOW.

Come Early

**Removal Sale**

Preparatory to Moving Into Our New Store

**We move in just a few days and then this opportunity will be over.**

If you have waited for the last of our great Removal Sale, let us warn you that these great bargains will be a thing of the past in just a few days.

We want everybody who needs housefurnishings to join the merry throngs at this big sale and prepare for present and future wants. The prices are so low you can prepare for months in advance.

Come quick and get your share.

We list but a few items, but every one of them represent a great savings.

We move to the corner of Water and North Streets.

Full bolted, 42-inch all quarter-sawed oak Swing, value \$3.50, now

**\$1.98**

Exactly like cut

How is this one? A full bolted all quarter-sawed oak Porch Swing complete with chains and hooks. Finished in fumed oak or Early English. Full 42 inches long. Only \$1.98.

The newest and niftiest type of Library Table on the market. Note the neat cane panel ends, entirely new; made of quarter-sawed oak and finished in a rich mellow fumed finish. The top is double, which prevents warping. A finely proportioned, stocky built table and a bargain. Made by the celebrated Wolverine factory. Value \$18.50; Removal price \$14.75.

Exactly like cut

Exactly like cut

Our line of English carriages is the largest in the city and they all go at a sacrifice. This one is an absolute new type. It has full double spring construction, very springy made with carriage fender over back wheels, finished in dark blue. Value \$25.00. Special price

**\$19.85**

Exactly like cut

See our great display of summer furniture. A beautiful showing of that substantial Kalex over wearing furniture in the brown finish. The swing we illustrate is made of Kalex fiber and finished brown. Made in 6 ft., 5 ft., and 4 ft. lengths. 4 foot length, value \$11.50, sale price

**\$10.25**

Exactly like cut

4-passenger hard wood high grade Lawn Swing, value \$7.00, now

**\$5.75**

Exactly like cut

This strong, well seasoned hardwood Swing is built for years of service. Can be adjusted and made into a good bed. Value \$7.00; sale price \$5.75.

Exactly like cut

50-lb. Felt Mattress

**\$5.95**

Think of this. 50 lbs. of felt in this mattress, made in art ticking and with roll edge and round corners. Out they go at...

**\$5.95**

A Whole Family Meal for 5c

A 5c package of Faust Spaghetti will make a whole meal for a family of five. And it will be a real meal—nutritious, tasty and satisfying.

A 5c package of Faust Spaghetti contains as much nutrition as 2 lbs. of beef. It is a glutinous food—gluten is the food content that makes bone, muscle and flesh.

You have no idea how many different ways Faust Spaghetti can be served to make fine, tempting meals—write for free recipe book. Sold in 5c and 10c packages—serve it often.

MAULL BROS.

ST. LOUIS, MO.

NERVOUS PROSTRATION

Severe Case of a Philadelphia Woman—Her Symptoms.

Philadelphia, Pa.—“I had a severe case of nervous prostration, with palpitation of the heart, constipation, headache, dizziness, noise in my ears, timid, nervous, restless feelings and sleeplessness.

“I read in the paper where a young woman had been cured of the same troubles by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound so I threw away the medicine the doctor left me and began taking the Compound. Before I had taken half a bottle I was able to sit up and in a short time I was able to do all my work. Your medicine has proved itself able to do all you say it will and I have recommended it in every household I have visited.”—Mrs. MARY JOHNSTON, 210 Siegel Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Another Bad Case.

Ephrata, Pa.—“About a year ago I was down with nervous prostration. I was pale and weak and would have hysterical spells, sick headaches and a bad pain under my shoulder-blade. I was under the care of different doctors but did not improve. I was so weak I could hardly stand long enough to do my dishes.

“Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has made me well and happy and I have begun to gain in weight and my face looks healthy now.”—Mrs. J. W. HORNBERGER, R. No. 3, Ephrata, Pa.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Nervous Trouble

Nervous troubles in one form or other are so common that a man or woman who does not complain of the condition of their nerves to some extent is rarely met.

Nervous dyspepsia is one of the most common causes for complaint.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

When in medicinal doses in water just before meals will correct indigestion due to nervousness and restore health to stomach and nerves alike. It tones up the entire system, sold in sealed bottles only by most druggists, grocers and dealers at \$1.00 a bottle.

10c Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

**Olivo Soap**

It Couldn't Be Better If It Cost \$1.00 Per Cake

To make a better Toilet Soap than Olivo is not possible, and yet you do not pay more for it than ordinary Toilet Soap.

Olivo Soap is made of the purest benzoin, glycerine, collected at great expense, from the world over. When you use it as smooth and soft as a baby's. The most popular soap ever introduced for the toilet, bath, nursery and for the hair and scalp. Lathers freely and lasts longer than all soaps.

FOUR TRAIL PRODUCTS, 50c. Ask your dealer for the Olivo Soap. Olivo Soap, Toilet Soap and Olivo Soap, all in one. If he has not ready, send us 14c in stamps and we will mail the package, prepaid.

Wholesale Perfumery Chicago. Mailed by San Toy Perfumery, Toledo. Olivo Soap and Toilet Soap.

NO GIRLS IN LAPLACE CLASS

Five Boys to Graduate—Millikin Quartet Will Sing.

Laplace May 20.—Commencement exercises of the Laplace high school will be held at the Methodist church here Wednesday evening. There are two high school and three county graduates, all young men.

THE PROGRAM.

The following is the program:

Instrumental solo—Miss Bertha Deal.

Vocal solo—Rev. George W. Miller.

Music—Millikin quartet.

Essay, “Life is Short”—Earl Wolfe.

Essay, “The Panama Canal”—Alva Neese.

Vocal solo—Miss Bertha Deal.

Essay, “Voyage of Life”—Gay Kintner.

Essay, “Patriotism”—Irl Robinson.

Essay, “Is Poetry a Crime?”—Russell Lyon.

Essay, “The Public Debt”—Robert Adams.

Music—Millikin quartet.

Presentation of diplomas—County Superintendent Charles McIntosh.

Music—Millikin quartet.

Honorary—Rev. J. B. Martin.

H. N. Greene, wife and son, Weeden, and Miss Hess Hawthorne visited with relatives at St. Louis Sunday.

Rev. J. B. Martin, pastor of the Methodist church here, will preach the memorial sermon for the G. A. R. here next Sunday.

Mrs. H. K. Bass of Decatur was the guest of relatives here last week remaining over Sunday.

Miss Bertha Deal visited in Decatur Saturday and Sunday.

William C. Felt retrimmed his barber shop last week and is now refitting the interior.

Mrs. Harry Egan and daughter, Miss Lillian, visited with relatives near Tuscola over Sunday.

Miss Ned Davidson of Chassey visited with Misses Edna and Esther Weakley here Sunday.

Miss Father Reithmiller left for her home at Millville Monday.

She contemplated taking a summer term at Normal soon.

The women of the Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will have their thank offering meeting at the church Tuesday. A program will be given and refreshments served.

The bachelorette party at the Brethren church Sunday evening was well attended. It was presided over by Rev. Fred W. Rye. George Miller being absent.

Mrs. F. F. Felt of Decatur visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hirsch, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Grace Finkle of Maroa was the guest of Mrs. Bert Lehman here last week and assisted in the play Friday and Saturday evening.

H. N. Greene has opened up an ice cream parlor in his building just west of his store.

A. C. Foley and family and Guy Walmer of Lake City, visited with Mrs. Foley's mother here Sunday afternoon.

Elmer Cox of Farazeth was the guest of Charles Lehman and family here Sunday.

John Crepe and family of near Orleans and Lee Crepe and family of near Dalton City, were here Sunday evening.

Miss Brown moved his family and household goods to Decatur last week where they will reside.

WARRENSBURG.

The big plate glass for the windows of the business houses arrived Monday morning and is being placed in the windows. F. Schroeder has the contract for the work.

The W. M. H. had charge of the morning service at the Methodist church.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.

Rev. Walter Spencer, state evangelist of congregational churches, preached at the Baptist church last Sunday morning. He will preach next Sunday morning and evening.

Several members of the local tribe of Red men went to the Indian council at Red Bank, Mo., to attend the Indian council. John Stonaker is the delegate from Illinois tribe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bots of Orleans spent Sunday near Warrensburg with Mr. Bots' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cressler.

Mrs. C. M. Ritchie is at Warrensburg, Pa. attending the Church of God eldership meeting in session there.

Baptist and Mrs. Pendleton are having the old brick foundation cleaned preparatory to building Mr. Baumgartner will build two story building.

District Superintendent J. W. Vanduse of the Decatur district of the Methodist conference held the third quarterly meeting here Monday morning. He went to Latham on the afternoon train.

BLUE MOUND.

Miss Ethel Morton of Stoughton is the guest of Charles Renshaw and family.

Alie Overman and family of Decatur, were the guests of Mrs. Nancy Hull Sunday.

Mr. Brady was a Dana visitor Friday and Saturday.

Charles Hughes of Taylorville was the guest of home folks from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. George Narver and son of Taylorville are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Eliza McCoy.

Misses Fern Hughes and Gladys Wilson, visiting friends near Stoughton Sunday.

The public school closed today. Some of the pupils went to the river to spend the day.

First Time in Forty Years.

Amos Miller of Zanesville, O. is visiting his niece Mrs. P. J. Michael 1288 St. Louis avenue and his sister Mrs. H. Laughman of Decatur. Miss Miller has practically always lived in the east and had not seen Miss Michael for forty years.

POSTMASTER HARRY M. MARTIN RESIGNS

His Retirement Comes As a Surprise At Shelbyville.

Shelbyville May 20.—With the exception of a few persons who had been tipped off, the announcement that Harry M. Martin had filed his resignation as postmaster at this place came as a distinct surprise to Shelbyville citizens. Incidentally it precipitated the lively scramble among the candidates who have been entertaining hopes of stepping into his official shoes at the expiration of his term.

Mr. Martin is all the greater when it is known that the term for which he was last appointed by Ex-President W. H. Taft will not expire until January, 1915, nearly two years hence.

HIS MOTIVE.

Mr. Martin attributes his motive in leaving town to the lucrative position which he has held under several presidents. He is weary of his exacting, official duties. The office carries a salary of \$2,100.

Mr. Martin took charge of the office in 1898 under a commission from William McKinley. He has been appointed three times since, holding commissions bearing the signatures of William McKinley, Theodore Roosevelt and William Howard Taft. When he first assumed charge the postmaster's salary was \$1,800 per annum with a commission of \$300 for one clerk. A hire allowance of \$500 for one clerk and a hire allowance of \$500 for one clerk.

The postmaster paid the necessary additional clerical salary out of his own pocket. Today the office carries a force of seven men including city mail carriers and rural route service. Employees all of them under salary from the department.

POST OFFICE ORIGINATOR.

Mr. Martin was a former newspaper man and for years was identified with the editorial and publishing departments of the Union originated and published the famous comparative price card which circulated by millions through national state, district and county committees in the interests of the Republican party in the last campaign.

BETWEEN TWO MEN.

His resignation at this time will necessarily bring the appointment of his successor and the campaign of the various candidates for the office here to a focus so far as the general public is informed the contest for the post office has narrowed down to two men—T. B. Shoff editor and publisher of the Shelby County Leader, and Frank Stone, chairman of the Democratic county central committee.

Shelbyville has two tribes of Improved Order or Red Men and auxiliaries, the Haymakers, will be well represented at the great council of the order, which opens in Jacksonville today. At least a half dozen prominent Red Men of this city, all of them holding some official connection with the order, have departed for Jacksonville. The list includes Henry Hodge, representative from Toga, who is a district deputy of the state hierarchy.

A Steidler, representative from Owensboro and chairman of the committee on state of the order.

P. D. Cronk, member of the mileage and order committee.

Ed Hodge, representative from the Haymakers of Toga tribe and a member of the state hierarchy.

George A. Roberts, representative from the Haymakers of Owensboro tribe.

“H. H. Chew, past grand sachem of the state.

Simon Page, past sachem Toga tribe.

In addition to these, Mr. P. D. Cronk who is past state secretary of the Degree of Palatians, went to Jacksonville to be present at the sessions of that assembly.

WATERVILLE WIDOW DEAD.

Mrs. Ollie Craig widow of the late T. W. Craig died at 11 o'clock Saturday evening at her home in Waterville. She was 72 years old and died of pneumonia. The funeral was held at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Christian church at Waterville conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Kern.

Mrs. Craig was born in Bloomfield, Ind. July 18, 1840. Her maiden name was Mrs. J. Craig. She accompanied her parents to this country when she was but seven years old and from that time until her death was a resident of this vicinity.

Mrs. Craig is survived by five children, namely Frank, Craig of Jacksonville, Ill.; Daniel, Dummer, wife of Harry Dummer, of this city; Mrs. Alice (Craig) who resides on the old home farm, John R. Craig of Shelbyville and George H. Craig living at home. She was a sister of John C. Craig of Kenton and Mrs. J. T. Warts of New Albany. She had a cousin of Attorney W. H. Craig of Shelbyville. She had a wide acquaintance and held the respect and love of her friends.

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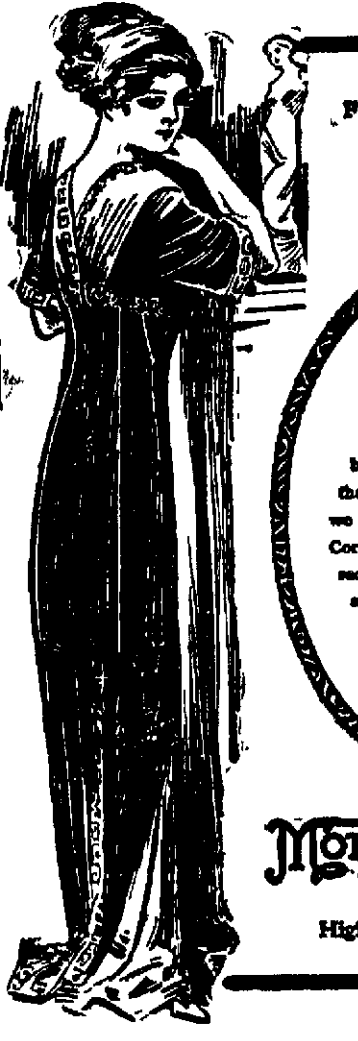
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REV. JOHN BERNARD ON MISSION BOARD

Illinois Women Receive Eldership Offices.

Rev. John Bernard, of 1436 East Prairie street Monday was selected a member of the board of missions at the general assembly of the churches of God which is now in session at Harrisburg, Pa. Other members of the board are A. J. Garner, Des Moines, Ia.; C. T. Fox, Findlay, O.; J. L. Updegraff, Mt. Pleasant, Pa.; and W. N. Yates, Harrisburg, Pa.

Dr. Charles Manchester of Fort Scott, Kan., was selected president of the Fort Scott collegiate institute. In the session last week of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society, held in connection with the general assembly, several Illinois women received offices. Mrs. George M. Paxton of Martinsville, president of the Illinois societies, was made corresponding secretary of the general assembly, and Mrs. M. H. Hinton of this city, the retiring president, presided at this meeting. The new president is Mrs. George Stoner of Mt. Pleasant, Pa. Vice president, Mrs. S. B. Vahn, Harrisburg, Pa. and recording secretary, Mrs. W. E. Turner of Findlay, O.

W. N. Yates of Harrisburg was selected as president of Findlay College, Findlay, O. to succeed Rev. J. I. Brown, resigned. Dr. Yates is pastor of the Fourth street church in Harrisburg.

WOODS COME HOME.

Stopped in St. Louis for Southern Baptist convention.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Wood and daughter, Elsie, have returned to Decatur after an absence of about eight months spent in evangelic work. They have been home only twice in that time. Mrs. Wood and daughter came Wednesday and Mr. Wood came Friday, stopping at St. Louis for the Southern Baptist convention. Miss Elsie Wood, about three weeks ago had an accident in which her leg was sprained but she is now able to be around.

Successful meetings have been held in a number of different places. The total number of converts was about 200. Among the places visited were Hammond, Benton, Watson, Cypress, Havana, Camptown, Willsville, Christian and Platteville. Miss Wood was the pianist of the party and Forrest Cole of Erie, Pa. the singer.

Mr. Wood leaves Wednesday for Carey. The entire party expects to start out again in the fall on a tour. Mr. Wood was formerly pastor of the East Park Baptist church.

Epworth League Elects.

New officers for the year were elected by the Epworth League of the Grace Methodist church at its meeting Monday night. They are as follows:

President, Raleigh Hoffer  
First vice, Walter Moore  
Second vice, Mrs. John Price  
Third vice, Addie Dillehunt  
Fourth vice, Ruth DeLoach  
Secretary, Frances Hoffer  
Treasurer, Margaret Parrish  
Pianist, Zella Petty  
Assistant, Beulah Pickle  
Chorus—Mrs. H. Hoffer

After the business session there was a social hour.

Wife Box Party.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Grace Methodist church will hold its annual box party opening party at the home of Mrs. J. G. Dorrell, 1158 North Union street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. A program entitled

"A Home Mission Pageant," will be given by several women dressed in costumes representing different branches of the society's work. All members of the society should attend the party and bring their mite boxes.

Cradle Roll Party.

A program has been arranged for the cradle roll party to be given in the Sunday school rooms of the First Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon. The program will include the following numbers:

March—All children.  
Solo, "Do Not Forbid Them"—Miss Gertrude Martin.  
Song—Mrs. D. C. Carter.  
Violin selections—Mrs. T. J. McDavid.  
Solo, "The Children's Friend"—Miss Isola Wright.

The hours for the party will be from 2:30 to 5:00 one of the features of the afternoon will be a measuring contest. Prizes will be awarded to the tallest and shortest babies.

Spoke in Nuts.

Rev. Mr. Patterson, who has charge of the United Brethren work among colored people in the south, and Rev. Archie Ward of Decatur spoke Sunday night in the Presbyterian church at Niantic. The house was crowded and after the services closed most of the audience went forward and shook hands with the speakers.

People You Know.

Januel Allison, who is attending school at Normal, spent Sunday with his mother Mrs. Allison, 304 East Division.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ritter of Mt. Zion spent Sunday with Mrs. E. A. Erwin, 301 East King street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones of Centralia are visiting Mr. Jones' brother, Amos Jones, 532 East Center street.

Mrs. Archie G. Brown of Room 8, Home Telephone Building, is in Mt. Auburn to attend the funeral of her sister.

Mrs. James Adams of 206 Moeller building, is visiting friends in Mt. Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schroeder, corner of Jasper and Leafland, spent Saturday and Sunday in Effingham.

Mrs. Ida Howell of Cerro Gordo is visiting Mrs. Joe Cash, 438 East Division street.

Mrs. Ella Bromley of Moweaqua has returned home after a short visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Frank Keeler of Jacksonville is visiting her son A. G. Keeler 1929 North Union street.

U. S. Potter of Assumption spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. A. Mottram Pauline Allsberry, 419 Peoria avenue, has the measles.

Mrs. Henry Markus, 445 Peoria avenue is visiting her daughter in Chicago.

E. H. McCullum has been taken from St. Mary's hospital to his home, 419 Johnson avenue. Esther McCullum, who has had pneumonia, is improving.

Miss Della Scott of Lake City is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Saylor, 938 West Packard street.

Miss Leah Saylor of Springfield spent Sunday with Mrs. C. L. Saylor.

326 West Packard street. Mrs. Beck 1321 East Orchard street spent Sunday with relatives in Litchfield.

Miss Laura Barber of Latham, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Van Gilder, 123 West Decatur street, spent Friday with Miss Nellie Hodge in Moweaqua. Miss Hodge was one of the graduates of the Moweaqua high school, graduating Friday night.

Frankie Rouch, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rouch, 303 East Main street, is seriously ill. Mr. Rouch, who is a Washash engineer, is taking a long layoff on account of the child's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bell and son, Ernest, living north of the city, visited in Moweaqua Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Potter, 1618 North Water street, entertained at dinner Sunday. Miss Emma Moore and Rev. Mr. Moore of Houston, Kan., Ray Collins of Tulsa and Mr. and Mrs. Day of Decatur.

Miss Katie Blair and Mrs. Ella McElroy, both of Illinois, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McGee, 529 East William street.

Miss Otis Kunkle was called to Niantic by the death of her uncle, George Smith.

Mrs. Zink Craig of Charleston has returned to her home after visiting Dr. Clara Garber.

Mrs. Nell Walker of Clinton is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Blinn, 278 East King.

Mrs. M. Breckin, 288 East King, has gone to Galeburg to spend the summer with her son.

Mrs. D. P. McKinzie and twin daughters of Oklahoma City, Okla., are visiting Mrs. William Crankshaw, 451 East Leafland avenue.

Mrs. A. I. Frankenberger, 436 East Leafland, is visiting in Champaign.

Chester Markwell, 947 North Water street, has the measles.

Mrs. Allie Wilkin and daughter, Dorothy, who have been visiting Mrs. E. A. Erwin, 304 East King street, have returned to their home at Charleston.

Jonas Hirsch, of Milne, is here visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lohenstein. His visit here is being enjoyed by many of his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Downey,

1412 North Morgan street, gave a dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. J. C. Burtner, of St. Cloud, Minn., and Mrs. J. G. Baker of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Housum have returned home after a visit to friends in Chicago and Chenoeweth Housum in Milwaukee.

LIFE'S LIGHTER HOURS.

George Miller Suppered.

George Miller was pleasantly surprised at his brother's home east of Macon, Sunday, the occasion being his birthday. Relatives of Decatur were met at Macon by Sam Morris with his car and taken to the home of Frank Miller, where a sumptuous dinner was served. Mr. Miller was presented with a fine suit of clothes and other things to match.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Barnes and son Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and son, Floyd. Mrs. Amanda Braden and children, Harvey Ralph and Nellie of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shelton of Bethany, Earl Smull of Macon and Mr. Shelton of Moweaqua.

Party At Burtner's Home.

A party was given at the home of Miss Evelyn Burtner, five and one-half miles southwest of Decatur, Saturday night, forty young people being present. A very enjoyable evening was spent in music and games. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Misses Nora and Hazel Warnick, Cora and Mabel Dunham, Nora and Dora and Ruby Wray, Floasie Booh, Abbie Pruett, Fern and Belva Huffaker, Ethel More, Mildred and Luella Bontion and Evelyn Burris, and Luther Warnick, Joe Austin, Henry Dunham, Raymond Gordon, Raleigh and William Booh, Ira Ora and Perry Wray, Jesse Hale, Forrest Huffaker, Jake Hiser, Elmer Otis, Charles and Floyd Elmer Bontion, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde More, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wray, Mr. and Mrs. William Bontion and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Spencer.

Double Birthday Party.

Mrs. Wesley Haddock and Mrs. Lloyd Burtner, 723 East Center street, gave a birthday party for their daughter, Helen, and little son, Kenneth, Saturday afternoon, the occasion being their fifth and third birthdays respectively. The hours were from 2 to 5. The little ones received several nice presents. Out door amusements were enjoyed by the little folks. Refreshments consisted of ice cream, strawberries and two kinds of cake.

Those present were Vivian Abbott, Maybelle Newell, Elsie, Viola, Charlie and Marie Meek, Pearl Pygott, Florence

Deverell, Louise Keck, June and Archie Foster, Arthur and Mildred Henry, George Russell, Olla and Violet Carson, Jean, Leola, George and Charles born, Hanson, Geraldine and Helen Noonan, Thelma and Juanita Major, Stella Downey, Helen Haddock, and Kenneth Durnier and several mothers.

An Day Quilting in Park.

The Third Ward Hospital Aid society will have its first all day quilting in Fairview park Wednesday. Everybody that is interested is invited to be present.

MARRIED.

MAYNARD-DOWNS.

Carson H. Maynard and Lucy I. Downs were married at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon by Rev. E. M. Smith, pastor of the First Christian church, at his residence, 345 West Packard street. They were accompanied by C. E. Potter, father of the bride, and Mrs. R. E. Swartz, sister of the groom. Mr. Maynard is a gardener near the city and the couple will go to house-keeping on his farm.

This was the second marriage in the bride's family performed by Mr. Smith.

CARR-KOPETO.

Thaddeus R. Carr of Decatur and Mrs. Frances Kopeto of Chicago were married at 8 o'clock Monday night by Rev. E. M. Smith at his residence on West Packard street. The couple were accompanied by Miss Clara Kopeto, daughter of the bride. Mr. Carr is a retired traveling salesman and the couple will make their home at 1049 West Howard street.

WOMAN WITH BABY AMONG 57 ARRESTED

Paterson, N. J., May 20.—Fifty-seven arrests were made this morning near the Price silk mill to which employees on strike returned yesterday in the face of protests from industrial workers of the World leaders. Twelve hundred strikers and others jeered the returning workers.

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# SPORTS

## JIM THORPE TO TO PLAY IN DECATUR

World's Best Athlete Com-  
ing With the Giants.

## TWO HITS OFF SCHUPP

## All Cuban Team Made In Sunday's Game.

That Jim Thorpe the world's best all-around athlete will play in Decatur with the New York Giants against the Chicago White Sox on Friday June 4, has just been announced. Thorpe, who will be remembered as the Indian who won the Olympic games almost single-handed for America at Stockholm Sweden last year.

### SEAT BACK UP

It was discovered last winter that Thorpe had accepted some money for playing professional baseball and he was ordered to send back his cap and medals to Sweden which he did. Much sentiment was aroused at the time against the so-called amateurism in athletics.

### PLAYS OF FIELD

McGraw signed Thorpe early in the spring but the red skin did not make a regular position on the team. The Indian accompanies the Giants on all their trips and occasionally he is sent in to run the bases which he does with great speed but not much headwork. In the exhibition games played by the Giants Thorpe works in right field.

### SCHUPP PITCHES GAME

Pitcher Fred Schupp has at last been heard from again. Sunday was an open day for the Giants and he went with McGraw's club to Long Branch N. J. where he figured in a game against the strong Cuban team at that place. Wiltag pitched the first five innings for the Giants and only one of the Cubans reached first until the fifth.

### ONLY TWO HITS

Schupp entered the game at the opening of the sixth and pitched with edged ball. He held the Cubans to two hits in the remaining four innings. He struck out two men and allowed one pass. On the other hand the Giants thumped the Cuban pit best hard. The final score was 9 to 2 for the McGraws.

## JOE WOOD BEATS THE WHITE SOX

## Falkenberg of Naps Also Trims Washington.

Chicago May 20.—Joe Wood the smoke ball star pitcher of the world's champions had the localists at bay yesterday and Chicago lost the opening game of the series 10 to 1 after eight innings of the game. The game was called at the time in account of darkness. Scott's wildness coupled with opportune hitting gave Boston the runs before Scott was replaced in the fifth inning by Smith.

Score: R H P  
Boston.....12 0 16 000—10 9 0  
Chicago...10 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 0  
Wood and Sunamaker, Scott Smith Cicotte and Easterly.

### OTHER AMERICAN GAMES

New York 5-10-4, St. Louis 6-11-4  
Batteries—Fisher, Schults, McConnell and Swadney, Wellman and Agnew  
Cleveland 4-10-2 Washington 3-6-0  
Batteries—Falkenberg and Carlsen, Cashion, Engle, Boehlin and Alinamith and Williams  
Detroit 3-10-1, Philadelphia 3-6-0  
Batteries—Willett and Starnage Wyckoff, Bush and Thomas and Lapp

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn 3-8-0, St. Louis 1-8-2 (11  
innings) Batteries—Rucker, Yingling and Miller, Griner and McLean  
Philadelphia 10-11-2 Chicago 4-9-4  
Batteries—Brennan and Kilgus, Lavelle and Archer  
New York 3-9-1 Pittsburgh 2-15-5  
(14 innings) Batteries—Marquard Ames, Terrau and Morris, Camnitz Hendrix and Simon and Kelly  
Cincinnati 9-12-4 Boston 8-9-4 (10  
innings) Batteries—Benton, Johnson M. Brown and Clarke, Tyler, Noyes Rudolph and Rariden.

## SONG OF THE DECATUR ROOTERS

Farewell to Don O'Leary.  
"Goodbye, Daniel if you're going  
What's your hurry, here's your  
lid  
We'd made a better showing  
We'd have fixed your clock  
old kid  
If you never were returning  
It would fill our hearts with  
joy  
Maybe some day you'll be learn-  
ing—  
Farewell, Dan old boy."

## HARRY SWACINA IS SUSPENDED

New York May 20.—President Ed-  
ward Barrow of the International league  
has indefinitely suspended first  
baseman Swacina of the Newark club  
for an argument with Umpire Hayes  
Manager Smith of Newark and Zimmerman, the third baseman of the same  
club were fined \$50 each for trouble  
in a game at Rochester Sunday.

## Merkle to Play Here With Giants



FRED MERKLE

Fred Merkle, known the world over as "Fonchey" Merkle, will play here with McGraw's Giants on line 6. Merkle is only twenty four years old but has been playing professional baseball for a number of years. He was given the sobriquet "Fonchey" for his failure to touch second base in a championship game played by the Giants several years ago. Merkle is a native of Toledo and is a graduate of the Southern Michigan league.

## PROGRESS OF PENNANT RACES

THREE-1-11 TABLE

| Team         | W  | L  | T | Win Pct |
|--------------|----|----|---|---------|
| Brooklyn     | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| St. Louis    | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Philadelphia | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Chicago      | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Pittsburgh   | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Cincinnati   | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Boston       | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| New York     | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |

NATIONAL

| Team         | W  | L  | T | Win Pct |
|--------------|----|----|---|---------|
| Philadelphia | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| New York     | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Chicago      | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Pittsburgh   | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Cincinnati   | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Boston       | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| St. Louis    | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Brooklyn     | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |

AMERICAN

| Team         | W  | L  | T | Win Pct |
|--------------|----|----|---|---------|
| Philadelphia | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| New York     | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Chicago      | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Pittsburgh   | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Cincinnati   | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Boston       | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| St. Louis    | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |
| Brooklyn     | 10 | 11 | 0 | .476    |

### TODAY'S GAMES

Three 1-11  
Peoria at Bloomington  
Peoria at Peoria  
Springfield at Evansport  
Danville at Quincy  
National  
St. Louis at New York  
Cincinnati at Chicago  
American  
New York at St. Louis  
Philadelphia at Chicago  
Pittsburgh at Detroit  
Boston at Cleveland

## CHECK FOR \$3,000 STILL MISSING

## McGraw Is Reminded of His "Little" Debt.

"Hey Mr. McGraw, where's that check?"  
That question was asked the manager of the New York Giants in a letter sent out from Decatur baseball headquarters a day or two ago. Not that the Decatur management is getting worried at the absence of the check but they want McGraw to know that the Decatur manager and the Decatur manager are anxious to get their pay for last year's 1912.  
HAS HE FORGOTTEN?  
Could McGraw have forgotten such a minor matter as the payment of a \$3,000 check? That seems hardly probable and yet the check has not appeared. Being the Decatur manager all the time since last Thursday bidding a big and good farewell to those one hundred and thirty five dollars and cents. At any rate his time limit has passed and he must cough it up.  
But the question is, where's the check?

## SPORT STORIES BRIEFLY TOLD

Billy Purcell's Home Run.  
In a game between Jersey City and Montreal of the International league played at Montreal Sunday, Billy Purcell the former Decatur third baseman slammed out a home run for Montreal helping win the game, 7-2. In addition, Purcell made two singles and figured in three double plays.

Jack Corbett Is Dead.  
Jack Corbett formerly manager of the Monmouth team in the Illinois Missouri league, died yesterday of pneumonia at Shelby, Mo.

Attendance at Ball Games.  
While Decatur drew 2,099 fans at Sunday's game against Davenport, Bloomington drew 2,200 and Peoria drew 2,904.

Hammer Churns in Springfield.  
Can you hear those hammers in Springfield? The fans are panning Frank Donnelly and his team and Frank is reorganizing the club entirely in an effort to win some games. Catcher Green and Pitcher Hebe were released yesterday and Catcher Wolfe, formerly of Peoria, has been signed. Donnelly has signed Frank Donahue, formerly shortstop for the New York Americans. Outfielder Jolly is out of the game with an injured leg and Len Schroeder is covering left.

## ILLINOIS-MISSOURI LEAGUE OPENS

Certain Bases On 1912 Season in Chicago

First games of the Illinois-Missouri league baseball season are being played this afternoon as follows:  
Kankakee at Champaign  
Canton at Lincoln  
Streator at Pekin  
All the clubs have posted a \$400 forfeit and prospects indicate a successful weathering of financial shoals. Decatur fans will be interested in the progress of the Pekin club as Jack Herbert of this city is its manager following are the playing managers of the league:  
PLAYING MANAGERS  
Pekin—Jack Herbert  
Champaign—Blackie Wilson  
Kankakee—Red Kelly  
Canton—Foggy  
Canton—Reins  
Streator—Coyles

## DECATUR BOYS SEE CHICAGO GAME

Ray Schalk and Walter Schaller Play With Sox.

Oliver Jones Fred Wilcox Lloyd Pierce and Russell Rainey four Decatur boys went to Chicago Sunday to see the White Sox play Frank Chance's New York Highlanders. The Sox won with Ed Walsh pitching 5 to 1. The Decatur boys were especially interested in the playing of Ray Schalk and Walter Schaller of the Sox. Schalk batted from left field and Schaller was formally with Springfield. Walsh didn't pitch anything that would dent a wire screen say the Decatur boys but the Sox won on Harry Lord's three-base hit with the bases full.  
After the game the Decatur boys went out to Riverside park and returned to Decatur on an early Monday morning train.

## PITCHED BATTLE ON BASEBALL DIAMOND

Pitt' Bill Wolf. The latter indicated a dull thud on the ground and a huge grunt.  
Little Willie not knowing the Decatur team didn't have a game scheduled here Monday afternoon had gone out in his usual knothole to visit a nine round bout. But to his surprise there wasn't any crowd there no ball teams no cracking of bats just the cracking of fists and it was all being made by two lonely individuals without another person around. There were no nine rounds to it. It was just one big long round and considerable of a fist fight.  
WILLING TO QUIT  
After the battle had gone about as long as a nine inning game and neither had succeeded in putting any damage on to the other to any extent the thing was called off and both returned to the city. Neither had more than flushed and perspiring countenances and some sprained wrists from the blows struck.  
The trouble all started when some few friends met and decided upon a little "crap game" in an informal fashion. The crowd grouped around the board. All of them were professionals. "Comin' out Big Dick"  
"Comin' two fives"  
"Craps"  
"Say guys what you think this is Christmas?" I've been able to see ever since I first opened them.  
HAD COINED DICE  
Just before the last one of the gamblers had tried to flash some phonies but the other fellow was too old a hand at the game and called him on the first shot. The other fellow also grabbed the dice whereupon the owner announced they would have to fight.  
They decided to fight outside the city limits and chose the track as the place. They boarded a street car and the crowd started to follow but they ordered the crowd back saying they



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## WILL HOLD J. M. U. CIRCUS TONIGHT

Rain Causes Postponement for a Day.

Providing there is no further interference on the part of the rain gods Milking's annual college circus will be held on the university athletic field tonight. The field is in fine shape as Monday evening a shower laid the dust to rest.

It will be bigger and better than ever, says J. Paul Montgomery, one of the students who is in charge of the arrangements. And the extra day's delay has given us more time to put on the different acts. We promise to give the spectators their money's worth.

The main show will begin this evening at 8 o'clock though the side shows will open for business an hour earlier.

Quincy Signs A New Pitcher.

Pitcher Frank Schenck, who got his start with Springfield five years ago and who later played with Brooklyn and Des Moines, has been signed by Quincy.

Vincent Campbell an Outlaw.

St. Louis dispatches state that Vincent Campbell the former Decatur player, more recently with Pittsburg, and the Boston Braves may play out law ball.

Schmidt in Three 1.

"Crazy" Schmidt scout for the New York Giants who helped pull through the deal for the transfer of Pitcher Schupp to the McGraws is gunshooting through the Three-1 league.

## GOLDFINGER BUYS INDIANA STORE

Deatur Was Makes One of Biggest Deals in County.

Richmond and Hen.—The building occupied by the Palais Royal store, 822 1/2 Main street was purchased yesterday afternoon by Henry Goldfinger of Decatur Ill. from H. V. McIsland. Mr. Goldfinger is interested in the store. The sale was one of the largest real estate deals that has been consummated in the county for some time, although the consideration was not announced.  
The store will undergo extensive alterations in the near future for an extension of the business of handling ladies and misses wearing apparel. These alterations have not been decided upon as yet.

## PICKERING VISITS IN WASHINGTON

Friends Expect Appointment As Revenue Collector Soon.

Washington May 20.—John L. Pickering of Springfield, Ill. is here with his wife. A report that his visit had to do with the charges filed against him as a candidate for collector of internal revenue of the Springfield district was denied tonight. Mr. Pickering's friends say that he will be appointed in the near future.

## JUDGE DECLARES RECALL TYRANNY

Justice Dunn Says It Would Strip Minority of Its Rights.

Champaign May 20.—Chief Justice Frank B. Dunn of the Illinois supreme

## MAJENTHALS

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could be so beautiful and  
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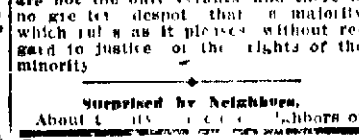
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Tuesday Evening, May 20, 1913.

The legislature in Maine has abolished January 1 as a legal holiday. Can this be constitutional?

We have not run across anybody who suspected that Governor Johnson would refuse to sign that land act.

Real showers are promised for this week, and we are going to be disappointed if the promise is not kept.

If the strike is settled that street car company in Cincinnati will not need a receiver. What new line of law is this?

By this time Porfirio Diaz ought to be old enough and wise enough to realize that he can finish his few days with more comfort in Spain than in Mexico.

We don't understand why Sam Burstein should be afraid of the Caesar of Russia. Think of all the advertising Sam could get by having himself made an international imbrolio.

The men who run retail stores in Decatur want all patrons to understand clearly that it is only the banker who can afford to take a Thursday half holiday before July.

Just at this stage Jim Hayes is excused for thinking that his Davenport team can play some ball, but he is reminded that the time to boast is when he takes off his armor next September.

There is talk of Governor Dunne calling an extra session of the legislature. We hope there is nothing in this; we congratulated ourselves that we were done with that sort of thing when we got rid of Mr. Deane.

**IS IT ON THE CALENDAR?**

What became of a measure mentioned a few weeks ago, one to consolidate the game and fish departments in this state? It was told the governor favored it and that it struck members of the general assembly as a good thing to do.

It looks as if it ought to be done. We don't need two departments to look after fish and game. Fish and game go together and should be looked after by one commission, assuming that they need to be looked after. The work when done by two commissions costs the state a great deal more than need be if it is looked after by one.

If there is a chance to cut down expenses in administering the affairs of this state it certainly should be embraced. And it doesn't fill the bill to talk about the thing for a while and then forget it.

**THE DISCRIMINATION.**

A few folks are remarking that those who are opposed to the sort of action taken in California somehow refrain from setting forth that foreigners are not allowed to hold land in Japan. These few contend that while Japan permits that policy it can have no good ground for objection to similar action taken by another country or state.

There is no reason why there should be any hesitation to tell that Japan forbids foreigners to hold its land. And Japan would not complain for a moment if California had adopted such a measure.

The thing that Japan complains about is that California makes a distinction between foreigners, and that Japanese are given the wrong end of this distinction. The California act now before Governor Johnson permits a foreigner in Europe to hold land in California; it denies a like privilege to the foreigner who happens to be a Japanese. This is the thing that has stirred the protest that Japan has sent in.

**CITY WORK BY CONTRACT.**

The city council has asked the corporation counsel to report whether or not it has authority to let some city work by contract. If counsel reports that it can be done we may have an experiment that will be interesting. Everybody should take notice.

For a long while it has been stated the city can get its work done for much less money by letting it to a contractor who is regularly in the line, and who is not troubled by sentiment and politics when it comes to getting biggest results for dollars.

Commissioner Ruthrauff feels content that water main can't be laid under the contract plan any cheaper than it is getting the work done. Other commissioners and the mayor are much inclined to agree with Ruthrauff in this, but they think it will be worth while to put it to test.

And so it will be. If a contractor

can do the work for a fourth less money than the city spends when acting on its own account, this will afford him an opportunity to speak up and later demonstrate. For years we have been saying handsome things about the prowess of the private contractor; and now it may be up to him to get busy and show that he was entitled to all the praise that was wasted his way. If the contractor should disappoint us we shall have to hunt up somebody else to be the recipient of our ignorant praises.

**A CENTURY OF PEACE.**

The United States, England, Canada and Australia are getting ready to celebrate a century of Anglo-American peace. Delegates have been here from the countries mentioned for the purpose of making arrangements. The celebration will be in 1914, for that year marks the century.

This is something worth while celebrating. It shows that the two leading nations of the world have been able to get along for a century without going to war against each other. It is worth while to let the rest of the world know what can be done along the line of peace.

Having got by that century without war between the United States and England it should be an easy matter to continue the era of peaceable feeling down to the last line of the chapter. There was more obstreperousness and less calm thought in the century that is closing than we may reasonably expect in the one to come. These two nations have got past the more dangerous period and have kept the peace for a hundred years; having done that there should be no difficulty about the next thousand years.

Of course there were times during the century when there was considerable friction and consequent irritation; at one time and another there was much pulling of the lion's tail; and over on the other side of the water they sometimes seemed to take too much mean delight in flouting your Uncle Sam. But the point is that we got by all that without war. Times and manners have mended, and in the future the going should be altogether easier. And what a great thing it has been for these two nations that they refrained from going to war for the century. The peace has been a great boon to both, and there is no telling how materially it has advanced the prosperity of both.

And these are the world's two leading nations. They have learned that the earth is big enough to hold both and to furnish room for activities. And other big nations will be invited to participate in the good thing, with the assurance that there is enough for all. You sometimes hear there is no getting along without war. Well, the world's first two nations have done it for a century, and that should be pretty nearly a demonstration that it can be done. The rest of the world will be invited to look and see that it has been done. The celebration in 1914 likely will be as impressive a thing as the world has ever done.

**"SAFETY ALWAYS."**

E. C. Winston, claim agent for the Wabash railroad has been in Decatur to make talks to employees of the road who gather hereabouts. The subject of his talks is "Safety Always."

These talks should make quite an impression on the men to whom they are addressed. In the first place Mr. Winston has had the kind of experience that enables him to set before the men the importance of the policy, measured in life as well as in dollars. He ought to know this subject as well as any man in the country, and he is the sort of man who is not backward about telling a thing when he once knows it.

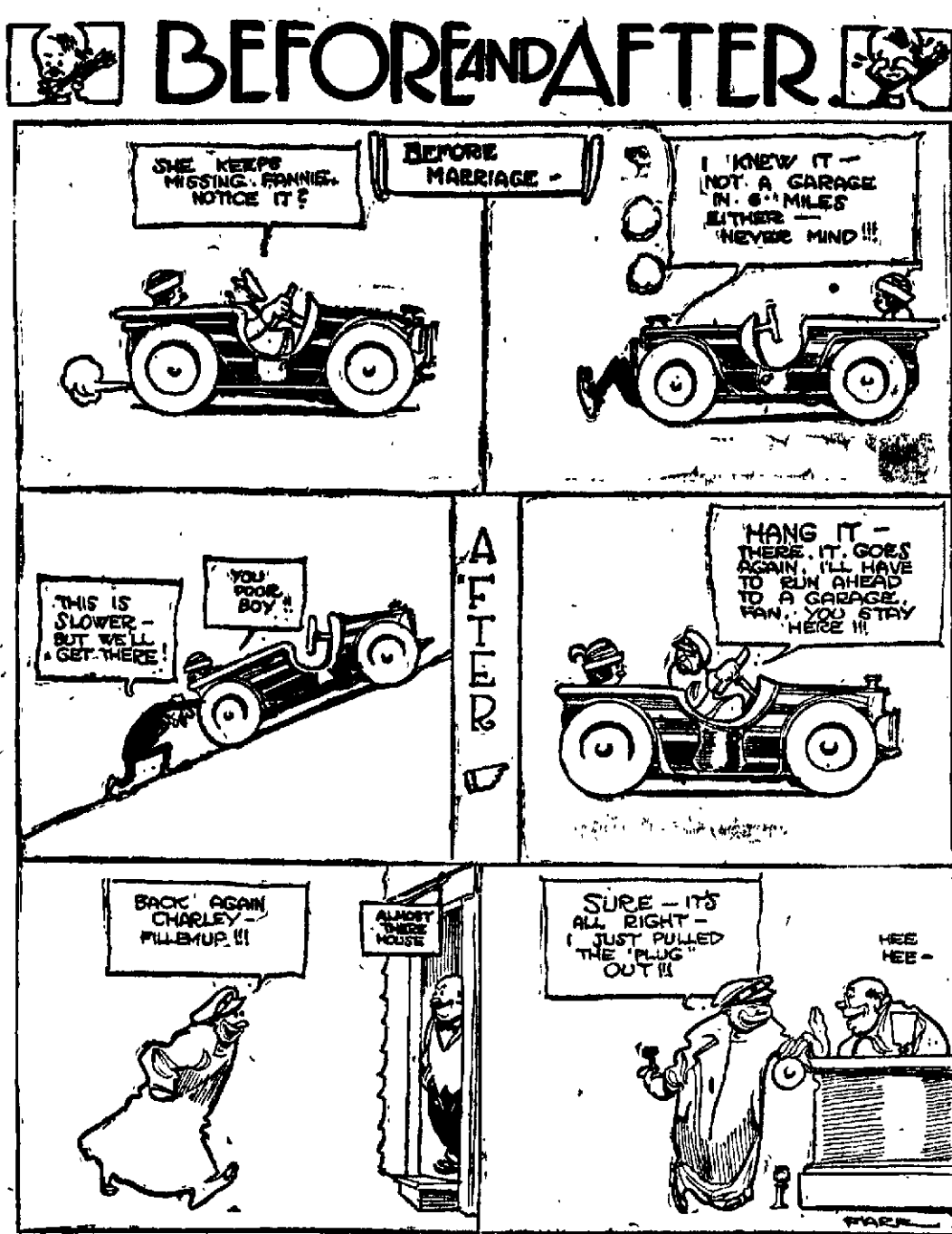
And Mr. Winston directs his message to a set of intelligent men. Men in the railroad line are paid good wages, and especially is this true of those connected with the running of trains. Good wages in the long run should secure a high order of intellect among employees, and the Wabash has been in the transportation business a long while.

And there is growing up among railroad men all over the country a feeling of loyalty to their systems, and also there is coming to be much wholesome pride in the work. Lately we have read magazine and periodical articles setting forth (innumerable illustrations of the better "spirit" with which these railroad men go at their work.

And there is to be a lot more of this. It is not too much, perhaps, to say that the time is not far ahead when railroad men will look with positive disfavor on the companion who is careless in his work, careless in a way that increases danger. Well paid employees should make a fine showing in this respect; they owe it to themselves to do so.

And they realize there is pleasure in work well done. There is more than pay in employment. The monthly check is necessary to keep things moving; but the railroad man who does his work well soon comes to realize that he is not dependent entirely on that check for his interest and pleasure in life.

And here is wishing E. C. Winston



all kinds of success in the propaganda he is preaching. We always felt it was in him to take on missionary work of some practical sort.

**HISTORY OF CIVIL WAR DAY BY DAY**

MAY 20, 1862.

Admiral Farragut's fleet started in a heavy bombardment of Port Hudson, the strong southern defense which had stood so long against union arms.

The famous southern ship Alabama was reported in a pocket blockaded by the two union steamers Onida and Alabama, off Moule, Guadeloupe. Admiral Wilkes in the union cutter Vanderbilt was dispatched at once to St. Thomas from Havana via Ponce, Porto Rico, to take charge of the union actions against the dreaded ship.

Child Has Gunpowder Trunk. The little seven year old daughter of William Logue, residing four miles

east of Decatur, is very ill from a gunpowder trouble in the cheeks and her recovery is very doubtful. She was first attacked with malarial fever, then measles followed by pneumonia after which came her present trouble.

**TEN YEARS AGO TODAY IN DECATUR**

MAY 20, 1863.

Judge William L. Hammer died at his home, 371 West North street. He was eighty-six years old.

Mrs. Andrew Shoemaker died at her home, 892 East Eldorado street.

Invitations were issued for the wedding of Cecil A. Kryder and Miss Dorothy Evans, daughter of Dr. J. H. Evans, to take place May 25.

**LITTLE GIRL SETS OUT BY HERSELF**

The little three year old daughter of Mrs. Alta Pope, residing on rural route

No. 2, started out to inspect Decatur's residence district all by her little self Monday afternoon. She had been with her mother on a shopping expedition and they got separated in a downtown store. The mother called at police headquarters at 4 o'clock to ask the police to look for the child. At 4:45 the little girl was discovered sauntering along in the 400 block on West Decatur street and she was taken back to her mother.

**Where Is Mrs. Thomas Scott?**  
Mayor Dan Dinneen has received a letter from a Mrs. William H. Scott of Xenia, O., asking to locate a Mrs. Thomas Scott, formerly Sarah Aderly, who was known to have resided here eight years ago. The latter's son, William Henry Scott, was killed in Xenia on April 21, 1913. Mrs. Thomas Scott is about seventy years old.

**Impossible.**  
Chicago Tribune—The life insurance agent was not satisfied "If you are carrying no insurance at all," he said, "surely you need some. May I ask if the head of the family is in?" "This family has no head," answered the woman of the house. "My husband's name is Post."

**More Appeals For A Reunion Of Mt. Zion Academy Students**

Mt. Zion, May 17.—To the students of Mt. Zion Academy forty and fifty years ago especially, and later ones also: The Daily Review, under date of May 15th contained an article suggesting a reunion at Decatur, during commencement week in the following June. I would like to help promote this proposition, suggested by J. E. Martin of Atwood, Ill.

I have just returned from western Kansas, to visit my people and friends about old Mt. Zion and spend the summer. It seems to me that of all the reunions and sale days to be promoted, none could be more interesting and satisfying than a reunion and banquet of the old students of Mt. Zion Academy forty-five years ago. We are all at different stages of descent, on the decline of life's journey. Faces and personalities "like a panorama" are ever fresh and green in memory—but where are you? How do you look now? What are you doing? And how are you enjoying life? These are the queries that naturally come to mind. Come, now, let's get together, renew acquaintances. Recount the pleasures, incidents and perplexities of school days long ago. Will someone, who is in touch take this up, push it along. Let us have a reunion, I want to meet you and have one more hand shake, J. E. MARTIN.

**RECALLS SOME NAMES**

Atwood, Ill., May 18th.  
Editor Review:—I will endeavor to call from memory, the names of the students of Mt. Zion seminary of 1868. After careful reflection, I have decided that I was a student there in that year instead of 1866. I knew the year was near to the close of the war, because the most exciting event of the year was the passing of an army train of empty, covered wagons perhaps a mile in length; these wagons were drawn each by four horses or mules. A mirth producing object accompanying this train was a negro lad of about twelve years old who had on a pair of old breeches that reached near his armpits and folded across his breast. His ludicrous appearance was intensified by his bulging pockets stuffed by apples he had confiscated from King Smith's orchard.

**JUST FROM MEMORY.**

In calling this roll I do not claim accuracy in names, initials, spelling, or location; I suppose I have them all in my sub-consciousness, according to the new philosophy, but for the present I would rather have them on the upper deck:

- Taylor Banks, Henry Milliken, Rosa Freeland, Kitty Smiser, Charles Love, Sullivan.
- Joseph Hutchenson, Hill, Mattson.
- James A. Gregory, "Doc" Sawyer, Joseph B. Martin, William Cadwell, Longaker.
- John Macey, Monticello.
- William Dickey, Wm. Wilkerson, Wilkerson, Cloyd.
- Fronte Conrad, Friends Creek.
- Scott Wallace, Ann Wallace, Sade Wallace, Edgar Davis, Milly Gabbard, Gabbard, (died at school)
- Long Creek.
- Charles Hall, Albert Hall, William Elder, Albert Willy Taylorville.
- D. O. Abrams, Henry Pasley, Bruce Pasley, George Skinner, Brown.
- York, Blue Mount.
- William Star, Samuel Gear John McKinley, Richard Peddercord, Joseph Smallwood, Jerome Smallwood, Theodore Nelson, Pierce, Mollie Pierce Octavia, Eva Wood, Clara Cassel, Jennie Phelps and Eva Blanchard, music teachers. Martell Carson teacher district school, W. O. Phelps, Decatur.
- A. R. Scott, George Outten.
- Scott, Traugher, Davis, Traugher, Samuel Hopkins, Lide Hopkins, M. R. Davidson, Bover, Presley Davidson, Mollie Smith, Ann Smith, James Bell, Maggie Bell, Miss

Kaufman, Thomas Portlett, Sallie Baker, Mt. Zion.  
**LIVED ON LITTLE.**  
I know this is an incomplete roll; I have a faint remembrance of others but cannot bring them to the identification. There were some students who "bached" in "Divinity Hall" whose names I cannot recall. A student of some institution in the state of New York, gained great notoriety by existing a year on a seeming impossible amount. I think some of those "Divinity Hall" fellows would put him as a back number. The Bible says, "Ephraim feedeth on wind." To Ephraim's diet they added water.  
Mr. Editor, you have an excellent field correspondent who is adept in writing the early history of places, why not send him to Mt. Zion, I would like to know the origin and early history of that old school.  
He would find an intensely interesting page in 1866, in the method of paying the debt which had been made in the erection of the new boarding house. From a moral point of view, those who contend that the church is not growing better might have an object lesson.  
If we could get enough of the students together who are alive—Nelson, Gear, McKinley, Conrad, Wallace, are dead—to hold a reunion I would be greatly pleased. It might be well for the alumni and students of Mt. Zion, to see their grandfathers and grandmothers, educationally—a baseballers, footballers, domestic scienceless generation. J. E. MARTIN.

**LAST SOAKING RAIN NEARLY MONTH AGO**

Precipitation Monday Only Three-Hundredths of Inch.

It has been almost a month since a rain of any consequence has fallen on the fair garden spot and the same spot is beginning to show the effects of it in the wheat and oats fields. The dry spell which permitted the plowing and planting of corn was much appreciated but the weather man is now overdoing the thing. Both wheat and oat fields are beginning to show yellow spots.  
The last good rain was on April 21 when the fall was 37 of an inch. Since then there was just 112 of an inch on May 4 and 5, a trace on May 6, and .03 of an inch Monday.

**THE SWAT OF THE LIGHT BRIGADE**

BY JINKS.

E'er the swimming summer sun His hot invasion has begun, Before the stagnant pools engulf us And rank poisons make us quail, We should fall upon the fly, And make him dearly love to die—Swat the female of the species, she's more deadly than the male!

If with one fell foray we Annihilate a colony, 'Twould fulfil the purpose better than an alien insect bill. Swat, Oh brother, swat with force, While gleeful awaiting roars its course, For on swatting hangs redemption—swat, Oh brother, swat to kill!

**MANUFACTURERS' SURPLUS STOCKS**

**16 Car loads of high grade house furnishings on which the maker stands the loss**

Goods on approval as usual during this sale. Purchases may be exchanged if you wish for we have no stickers to work off on the public.

No left-overs, odds and ends or close-outs but a sale of high grade dependable 1913 stock all priced at positively the lowest prices.

**WE INVITE COMPARISON BEFORE YOU MAKE YOUR PURCHASES.**

Every article in this sale is guaranteed to be high grade and perfect in every respect. We do not refuse our customers the right of exchange for there is nothing unworthy in this sale.

If you are in need of Furniture, Rugs, Carpets, Draperies, Stoves or House Furnishings. Now is the time to buy them and Scovill Co. offer the lowest prices and the greatest values.

**SCOVILL COMPANY**

Charge accounts will be made on approved credits during this sale for these values will bear the closest home scrutiny.

## DECATUR DOCTORS DOUBT FRIEDMANN

Say They Have No Faith In  
German's "Cure."

Members of the Decatur Medical society are backing the United States government physicians in the statement that Dr. F. F. Friedmann, "consumption curer," is a humbug. They declare that if the German doctor had a remedy of real worth he would demonstrate it to the world instead of keeping it secret as he has done.

**NO PROOF.**  
"Dr. Friedmann's course since he landed in America has been one of continued evasion," remarked a Decatur physician recently. "His claims for his consumption treatment rest solely on his own statements. He has persistently refused to submit any proof of his claims."

"It is now stated that Dr. Friedmann is planning to establish a branch institute in every state in the country so that he can reap profit out of the wide advertisement that has been given him. Friedmann is a registered physician in Germany with the right to use his discovery there. Germany has as many tuberculosis sufferers as the United States and he had just as much opportunity for gain there as in the United States. In spite of the fact, he left his own country and came to the United States where we have the reputation of being 'easy'."

"And this fact remains that Friedmann has presented no proof, no scientific evidence, clinical or otherwise, to justify the claim that he has developed a cure for consumption."

## VANDALS BREAK DOWN FRONT FENCE

East Prairie Street, Residents Complain Of Ruffians' Actions.  
H. Butson 644 East Prairie street, complains that vandals in his neighborhood have been in the practice of breaking down his front fence and damaging other property in the vicinity. When he paints the fence and puts the pickets in good shape, the ruffians come along and tear them down. He takes pride in his property and is anxious to make it look as well as possible. He declares that he will pay \$5 reward for information leading to the arrest of the fence-breakers.

## FRANK SHAFFER HAS THE CRACK SYSTEM

"Mr. M. Shaffer has the best plan for getting rid of dandelions," said George B. Simpson, "and he guarantees to work if directions are followed according to his plan. All a man has to do is order to kill the dandelions in to get up early every morning and pick the blossoms and then in the fall

take a spade and dig the plants up by the roots. This treatment, if continued ten years is guaranteed to rid a lawn of dandelions, if more seed don't blow in."

## EIGHT MORE CARS FOR STREET CAR LINE

### Four Trailers and Four Enclosed Trolleys.

The Decatur Railway & Light company will soon get eight additional street cars for its service here. They are much needed. Four of these will be trailers from Peoria and will be used here for the summer. Four others will be entirely new cars and will belong to the local company. The latter will be regular, enclosed forty foot street cars the biggest yet to be used here by the local company.

The need of more street cars here was felt great Sunday at the ball game when some walked in preference to trying to crowd on the cars which were packed to the very limit. The local company owns thirty cars and there is always one at the paint shop, out of commission. Fifteen cars are used on other lines and the fourteen others were in use on Water street for the last crowd. General Manager M. L. Barry had made arrangements for an interurban car and trailer to help handle the ball crowd but these cars got into trouble at the last minute and couldn't be used.

## REBEKAHS TO HOLD DISTRICT MEETING

The district meeting of Rebekahs will be held at Maroa Thursday. The morning session will begin promptly at 10:30. Members going from Decatur are to meet at the interurban station at 8:30 to take the 9:10 car. The members who are to take part are especially requested to be prompt. It is expected that about thirty-five from Decatur will go up for the meeting.

Officers of the district are:  
President—Alice Fribourg, Decatur  
Vice President—Carrie Schenck, Clinton.  
Secretary—Verna Owens Maroa.  
Treasurer—Mara E. Silver, Kenney.

## OVER 6,000 FEET OF FRONTAGE SIGNED

Over 6,000 feet of frontage is now signed on the petitions for West Macon and Dennis Avenue ornamental lights. There is 11,000 feet of frontage along these streets. Owing to grading and other work on West Macon street now, C. H. Pierce, who has been active in circulating the petition has not had time to work on it in the last two weeks.

## GLEE CLUBS HAVE ANOTHER CONCERT

Annual May Event On University Campus.

The Millikin Glee club scored one of its biggest hits of the season when it divided honors Friday night in its joint concert with the Illinois Glee club at the Illinois theater in Urbana Friday night. The Champaign News speaks appreciatively of the Millikin club's work in part as follows:

"The Millikin club made a hit with the audience immediately and was repeatedly applauded after its first number, 'Rise, Sleep No More.' Their encores were of the humorous type and were certainly enjoyed."

"Other pieces sung by the Millikin boys were 'Winter Song' given by a quartet; 'Fritjof's Farewell,' solo by Ralph Wise, with quartet and glee club; 'The Plafman's Song' and lastly 'Alla Rah,' which is Millikin's 'loyalty song.' At the conclusion of the latter, which was the final number of the club, nine 'rahs' were given for Illinois."

"The Millikin Glee club has twenty-four members while Illinois has but fifteen. The former comes from a school where music is on a par with athletics and was surely demonstrated last evening. The club would do credit to many larger colleges. The Millikin men were attired in dress suits, while the Illinois men wore white flannel trousers and blue coats."

**ANNUAL JOINT MAY CONCERT.**  
The men's glee club will join with the girls' club in the near future in the annual joint May concert on the campus. Committees are now busy arranging the details of the concert. It will probably be held the night previous to the commencement exercises.

## Doctors Use This For Eczema

Dr. Evans, ex-Commissioner of Health, says: "There is almost no relation between skin diseases and the blood. Eczema is a skin disease." The skin must be cured through the skin. The germs must be washed out, and so salves have long ago been found worthless. The most advanced physicians of this country are now agreed on this, and are prescribing a wash of wintergreen, thymol and other ingredients for eczema and all other skin diseases. This compound is known as D. D. D. Prescription for eczema.

Dr. Holmes, the well known skin specialist writes: "I am convinced that the D. D. D. Prescription is as much a specific for eczema as quinine for malaria."

ooding or following the appearance of the Coburn players at Millikin, in order to use the stage to be erected on the campus for the players.

## HIGH ATTENDANCE RECORDS LAST WEEK

Some good records in attendance were made the last week in the public schools. The Third B grade of the Riverside school heads the list, having made a perfect record for the week. The grade is taught by Miss Merker. Miss Van Meter's room at the Pugh school had a mark of 98.5. This is the First A and Second B grade.

Miss Craig's room was the banner room at the Oglesby school, having a record of 98. Miss DeGroat's room averaged 95.3 and Miss Hopkins' room 94.3.

Miss Rademacher's room, the Fourth grade, at the Roush school won the attendance pennant, having a mark of 94.3.

Sangamon and Warren school baseball teams will play Tuesday on the Pugh diamond.

Mothers of the Marietta school will meet Wednesday afternoon to talk over the social to be held soon.

## DURFEE FESTIVAL TO BE HELD TONIGHT

H. B. Durfee school postponed its May festival until tonight on account of the weather last evening. The program will be carried out the same tonight as planned for last night. The hour will be 6 o'clock.

## MADE PICKPOCKETS DROP HIS PURSE

Charles W. Pistorius, 1848 West Macon street, grabbed two pickpockets and made them drop his purse shortly after 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Mr. Pistorius boarded a North Water street car at the transfer house. There were some people in the aisle, but the car was not unusually crowded. Two men who boarded the car after Mr. Pistorius crowded past him and for a moment there was a jam. Mr. Pistorius missed his

purse in a moment and suspected the two men who were trying to leave the car at Main and Water streets. He hurried after them and grabbed them as they alighted from the car and demanded his pocketbook. One of the men dropped the purse so soon as he felt a hand on his shoulder. "I haven't got your pocketbook," he said. "There it is." and he pointed to it lying on the pavement. Mr. Pistorius stooped to pick it up and the

two men then ran. Mr. Pistorius pursued them, chasing them through Central park, up State street to William street and east to Water street.

Officer John Kelly saw the men running on Water street and he stopped an automobile and told the driver to hurry after the two men who were running. The driver was so excited that he couldn't operate his machine satisfactorily and did not run over six miles.

on hour. The men separated and it was said that one of them ran through the Nickle Bijou and that the other caught a depot car as it was starting around the loop. At any rate, both men got away, although there were half a dozen or more people in the chase for awhile.

Mr. Pistorius examined his purse and found that his money and checks were all there and he didn't have time to remove the money.

# The Stewart Dry Goods Co

227-235 N. WATER ST., DECATUR, ILL.

## Our First Great Sale of Women's, Misses' and Children's Dainty Wash Dresses

Beginning tomorrow, Wednesday, we place on special display upwards of 2,000 beautiful new wash dresses for women, misses and children, a display notable not only because of the prettiness and charm of the materials, styles and trimmings, but because of the phenomenally low prices we propose selling them for. Scan carefully these items below—note the enormous values offered. Come here tomorrow and see how modestly we've described them. Unquestionably the greatest money saving event of early summer—every item a money-saver.



**Dresses Worth to \$2.00**  
150 beautiful new wash dresses for women, misses and children, in pretty embroidered ginghams, percales, voiles, etc.—in white and all colors and combinations; come beginning Wednesday and choose from the entire lot; values to \$2.00—your choice..... **98c**

**Dresses Worth to \$5.00**  
150 charming wash dresses for women, misses and children, in ratines, white voiles and linens, fancy dimities, French lawns; trimmed laces, embroidery and contrasting colors; with smart coat effect; These beautiful garments worth to \$5, on special sale, choice ..... **\$3.98**

**Dresses Worth to \$3.50**  
200 exquisite wash dresses—ginghams, madras, cotton striped voiles, fancy dimities and chambrays; lace trimmed—embroidered collars and cuffs; all colors and white; high or low necks; all women's, misses and children's sizes, values to \$3.50, choice..... **\$1.98**

**Dresses Worth to \$6.50**  
300 dainty new wash dresses for women, misses and children, in ratines, eponges, linens, crepes and silk tissues—coat effects with high or belted waists, Balkan styles; trimmed with buttons, laces and embroidery; all colors and white; values to \$6.50 ..... **\$4.98**

**Beautiful Wash Dresses Worth To \$8.98**  
A wonderful collection of 400 of the most beautifully styled wash dresses ever placed before the women of Decatur—including fancy brocaded Bedford cords with white or natural linen skirts, fancy eponges, ratines, mistral cloths, challois, silk ginghams, crepe and line combinations and white nets; showing wonderful combinations of colors and dainty lace and embroidery trimming schemes; values up to \$8.98—unrestricted choice for this sale—each..... **\$5.98**

**1,000 Dainty New Aprons—25c Values**  
This is really the most extraordinary value we've been able to advertise in many a day. A special purchase of 500 pretty new tea aprons in dimities and percales—in immaculate white, pretty stripes and clever polka dot effects—with fetching little bibs. Aprons that were made to sell for 25c—all to go on sale beginning Wednesday, choice..... **10c**

**\$3.00 Waists 98c**  
250 pretty new waists—including voiles, lingerie and linens—daintily trimmed in lace and embroidery—in dozens of pretty styles; either short sleeves and low necks or long sleeves and high necks; values to \$3—\$3—for this sale, each..... **98c**

**\$2.00 Wash Skirts 69c**  
Beginning Wednesday we place on special sale 500 pretty white wash skirts made of the best quality seaside suiting—also some in natural linen; effectively trimmed with buttons; these skirts bought at special price, worth \$2, on sale tomorrow, each ..... **69c**

## MEN

Summer wear is hard wear. Leaving out all considerations of style, fit or comfort, good shoes are the cheapest for you to buy.

The trouble is to be sure you are getting good shoes—and ten chances to one you like to get correct style and an absolutely perfect and comfortable fit too—we're cranks on fitting shoes just right—that's one reason why so many men have placed their feet in our care.

So—if you want a happy combination of style, fit, comfort and service in your next pair of shoes—if you're going to be mighty particular about getting all that, just come here and we'll make a permanent customer out of you.



A Lot of Snappy New Things in Low Cuts.

Do Drop in and See Us.  
**RAUPP & YOUNG**

## WOMEN

We know what you like—you like a shoe that is distinctive in style and so made that it will retain its original style and neat appearance during hard service.

Sometimes it's hard to find a shoe like that, isn't it? But don't worry—put the problem up to us—and see what happens then.

We'll fit your feet to a happy surprise and make them glad they crossed our doorsill.

Come. If you come once we'll do our best to please you so well that you'll be sure to come back again when shoes are on your mind.

## INDIA TEA

Invigorates and Refreshes. Like Coffee  
300 Cups to the Pound  
A scant teaspoon makes two cups. Steep five minutes only  
Published by the Growers of India Tea

LOVINGTON MINE GETS CONTRACT

To Furnish Sullivan Coal—New Park Site Favored.

Sullivan, May 20.—The city council met in regular session Monday evening with all members present. The contract for coal for the next year for the city water works and light plant was awarded at \$1.75 a ton placed at the Lovington mine. The city used about twenty-two cars of coal with fifty tons to the car a year. Another important thing that came up before the council was the park site offer by Miss Flora Ashbrook and is the land lying just back of the city. There are thirty-five acres in the tract. Will A. Steele offered to donate five or six acres of his land along with this to make the required forty acres and this will give an entrance to the park east from the south side of the square going south of the old Miller Mill. ASK REASONABLE PRICE Miss Ashbrook is much more reasonable on the price of her land than some that have offered. Her price is \$200 an acre. Irving Shuman has offered to donate the athletic grounds adjoining it and also a driveway coming north from the park site to the Jackson street pavement. Mr. Shuman has taken back his park site offer. The city council will go in a body Wednesday to visit the new site. From the talk among outsiders it looks like this site is favorable to a large number of people. NEW APPOINTMENTS The mayor made his new appointments at this meeting and with the exception of one officer, Hank McCune, Superintendent of water and light plant—Hugh Hoke. First assistant—James Ruchard. Second assistant—Frank Moore. Street superintendent—George Stain. ENTERTAINS N. N. N. CLUB Mrs. M. Anshacher entertained the members of the N. N. N. club at her home Monday afternoon. Mrs. Anshacher is not a member of the club but entertained them outside their regular meeting time. FARMERS WAITING FOR RAIN The farmers in this section of Monticello county are getting more and more impatient after it rains out of the clouds being so hard. Rain is badly needed. SHIPPER Mrs. P. A. Warren and children arrived

home from Arthur Monday noon, where they have been for a visit with relatives. Mrs. W. D. Day left Monday noon for Vincennes, Ind., for a visit with her son, Harry D. Barber arrived home from Decatur Sunday with his family. Mrs. Harry D. Barber and little daughter arrived home from Granite City where they have been for the past few weeks visiting her mother and other relatives. In Will Day arrived home from Oakland Tuesday noon, where he has been for a week's visit with friends. Mrs. Charles Patterson went to Chicago Monday noon for a short visit. Perry J. Patterson went to St. Louis Monday evening on a business trip. He expects to be gone a couple of days or more. Mrs. George Lane and children returned to her home in Windsor Monday evening after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gilham. Mr. J. H. Dawson went to Peoria Tuesday morning to attend the state medical meeting. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Simpson of Ramsey, spent Sunday here with their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Harris and family. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Harris were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

GOOD NEWS BRIEFS FROM MONTICELLO

Monticello, May 20.—Mrs. George J. Fisher and son Rex arrived Sunday from Red Oak, Ia., to visit her sister, Mrs. Scott Platt. Albert Muller and O. L. Markel attended the Three-League game at Decatur Sunday. Ed Phalen and family who lost their home by fire last week, have moved into the F. E. Andrew property. Miss Mabel Smith and Mrs. A. C. Edie were in Decatur Saturday and attended the ball game. J. L. Hicks and Miss Frances Hicks spent Saturday with Mrs. Hicks at St. Mary's hospital. Miss Anna Pechel spent Sunday with Bement friends. The regular meeting of the Eastern Star will be held Friday night. After the meeting the entertainment committee will have charge. Misses Sewell, Susie Baker and Ethel Rose attended the Minneapolis symphony concert at Decatur Saturday. Misses Nell Taitman and Mary Herberger were shopping in Decatur Saturday. J. R. Huston, J. A. Bender and A. C. Edie expect to leave Thursday for a star at West Baden, Ind. Mrs. Dale Kelley, grand chief of the Pythian Sisters, returned Sunday from an official visit to the lodges in Chicago. Mrs. J. C. Tippett left Tuesday to attend the department convention of the Woman's Relief Corps at Alton. Miss Maggie Campbell went to Bement Saturday to visit relatives. Ed England and family of Decatur motored here last Friday and Mrs. James Fitzwater returned home with them and remained until Sunday. Mrs. C. R. Caldwell and children of Lincoln are visiting her parents, W. F. Stevenson and wife. Miss Alexander of Mansfield was the guest of Miss Kate Kastel Sunday.

Among those from here who attended the U. of I. circus at Champaign Saturday night were Dr. R. W. Bushes, Arthur Porter, Mr. Givons, Misses Bess Fitzwater, Bess Cline, Crusan, Burnie Hill, Edna, Loggins and Florence Telpp. NEGRO PAUPER RELEASED. One known as Jefferson Horton, colored, was discharged Monday morning from the county jail under the pauper act. He was arrested for petit larceny at La Placa and has been in the county jail since Feb. 22. Hotel Sackriter is receiving a new coat of paint as the final touch to the thorough renovation. NOT GUILTY OF ARSON. A man by name of White, who was arrested Sunday in Hement and brought here and placed in jail, was tried before Justice of Peace Bragg in the sheriff's office Monday morning. White was arrested at the institution of George Lee, Sr. for threatening to burn Lee's house. Attorney J. L. Hicks defended the prisoner and the state's attorney prosecuted. White was declared not guilty and was released. William Ridgley of Decatur spent Monday with his son, C. H. Ridgley.

TO WED IDAHO GIRL. Rev. Williams of Walla Walla, Ida., and formerly of this city, is to be married in June to a Walla Walla girl. Mr. Williams is instructor in violin and harmony in the conservatory there and the bride-to-be is instructor in piano.

NIANTIC MAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS. Niantic, May 20.—George Smith died at his home here Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock after a long illness. He had been confined to the house for the past six or seven weeks. Mr. Smith was a member of the K of P lodge. He is survived by his widow, six sons: Herschel, Orville, Neel, and Howard all of Niantic, Floyd Smith of Aberdeen, S. D., and Earl Smith of Sioux Falls, S. D., one daughter, Mrs. Charles Glider of Niantic, one brother, Nate Smith of Moweaqua and two grandchildren. The funeral will be held Wednesday.

OTHER NEWS. Mrs. John Francis and son, Crawford of Decatur, were the Sunday guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Cora Martin and family here. Theodore Bruce of Springfield spent Sunday with his brother, Charles Bruce and family in this place. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dummer of Lincoln visited over Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Loftus and family here. Nate Smith and daughter Halle of Moweaqua were called here Sunday by the death of Mr. Smith's brother, George Smith. Mrs. Guston and Mrs. Noel of Illinois were the Sunday guests of Mr.

and Mrs. J. H. Cusins and son Noel here. Miss Ella Hensbry visited last week with relatives and friends in Decatur. Mrs. Edward Glider went to St. Louis Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. Frederickson and family. From there she will go to Jonesboro, Ill., to visit her mother, Mrs. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. William Moore and Charles Hall attended the college circus given at the Illinois university in Champaign Saturday night. Miss Mina Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. Moore and family near Lanesville. Martin Hill of Decatur spent Saturday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Mahala Gill here.

Miss Elizabeth Barry and James Barry visited their grandmother, near Lincoln Sunday. Mrs. Lewis Bell and sons, George and Victor, Mrs. B. H. Armstrong, Mrs. Anna Eaden and Misses Kullie Selig and Fay Eaden were shopping in Decatur Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allison and family of near Latham were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Allison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, Sr. here. Mr. and Mrs. Bohart, Bruce, Mrs. George Jacobson and Miss Beesie Jacobson went to Decatur to hear the Symphony orchestra Saturday night. Holly Lichtenberger of Decatur was the Sunday guest of James Delaney. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Moore and children of Decatur spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stout and family here.

Elbert Hubbard's "Message to Garcia"

Surpassed by His Message to Drinking Men. We predict that Mr. Hubbard's latest book will give him greater fame and have a larger circulation than his famous "Message to Garcia." In his gifted way he tells the pathetic story of a friend's long and hard fight against the Demon Alcohol, and the beautiful story of his rescue and restoration to his family at the end of three days' treatment by Doctor Neal's modern scientific methods, now used in 60 splendid institutes established in 60 principal cities in the United States and foreign countries. A copy of this book with full information will be sent free to all who call, write or phone the NEAL INSTITUTE, Springfield, Ill., Laurel Ave. and Country Club Road, phone Main 6948, or Chicago, Ill., No. 811 E. 49th Street, phone Oakland 438 or Auto. 72-899.



SUIT SALE

For Lady and Miss.

Here is welcome news for those who has put off buying a Spring Suit. We want to clear out our entire stock of suits within a week. If price cutting will do it they're sure to go.

We have divided the entire stock into two lots; the original plainly marked price tickets have been left undisturbed so you can see exactly how much you save.

A Great Event.

Every Suit in the house, formerly \$9.90 up to \$20.

Every higher priced Suit, which sold up to \$35.

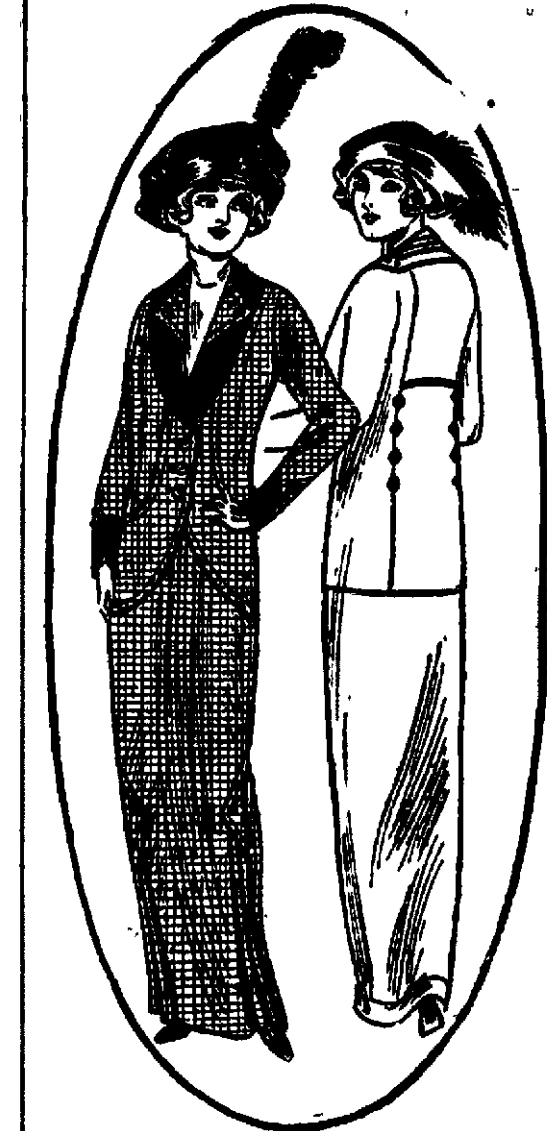
NOTHING RESERVED EVERY SUIT INCLUDED

The materials include, serges, fancies, chevrons, etc., all colors, all patterns. LADIES' & MISSES SIZES. COME—and come early.

We can fit you now, but sizes are bound to be broken quickly. \$9.90 and \$13.48.

MILLINERY ONE HALF OFF.

Every hat bears a ticket with the original price marked in plain figures. If it was \$3.00 take the hat for \$1.50; if marked \$5.00 it is yours for \$2.50 and so on. Make the reduction yourself. Don't forget that these are all this Spring's Styles. We never carry old goods.



Our Motto: Not How Cheap But How Good. LARUS-ALTHEIMER CO. 129 EAST MAIN STREET.

STORE NOT CLOSED THURSDAY AFTERNOONS UNTIL AFTER JULY 1.

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EXTRA SPECIAL EXTRA

WHITE GOODS SALE

50c Persian Lawn 19c

A master stroke in buying, enables us to offer for this week a beautiful imported Persian Lawn 46 inches wide. This is a dainty, sheer white wash fabric and is guaranteed to wear and launder perfectly. It is especially desirable for Shirt Waists, Graduation Dresses, Children's Dresses, etc. (Limited not over 10 yards to a customer.) Worth 50c per yard, sale price per yard

19c

29c WHITE PIQUE 15c.

Here is another big scoop of ours. Our white goods buyer picked up a case of White Piques at a price below cost to manufacture. So we place on special sale for all week, an excellent quality of White Pique, all size waives, a value positively worth 15c 29c a yard. Sale price, per yard

75c IMPORTED VOILES 39c.

Here is another reason why Gebhart's is always busy. A spot cash purchase, buying the entire surplus stock of White Voiles of an Eastern wholesaler, enables us to offer Imported French voiles 45 inches wide (plain) also striped voiles in one, two and three cords so fascinatingly appropriate for graduation dresses, etc., worth 75c yard, sale price, yard

39c

"KILLARNEY" LINEN HAS MERIT

We can now supply all customers, wanting Killarney linen finished suiting, the guaranteed white fabric. It has all the merits of pure linen, but will not crush or wrinkle. Well adapted for Suits, Coats, Nurse Uniforms and Children's apparel. "It improves on washing." 39 inches wide, per yard

18c

BED SPREADS, LINENS AND DOMESTICS

|                                                        |        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
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| All \$1.25 Bed Spreads go at                           | 95c    | \$1.00 TABLE LINENS, 75c.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | stores at 12 1/2c a yard. (No remnants or poor substitutes shown here.) We show the brands as advertised at, per yard | 8 3/8c                                                                                                                               |
| All \$1.50 Bed Spreads go at                           | \$1.19 | Regular \$1.00 full bleached satin finished Table Damask, every thread warranted pure linen. These linens are fine Irish goods, and come in a wide range of beautiful designs. These Damasks will wear and launder to your utmost satisfaction. We offer the best linen value of the year at, per yard | 15c LONSDALE CAMBRIOS 11 1/2c                                                                                         | Genuine Lonsdale Cambric and Lonsdale superfine Nainsooks, sold in all stores at 15c 11 1/2c per yard, our price this week, per yard |
| All \$2.00 Bed Spreads go at                           | \$1.65 | 6c TOWELING 3 3/4c.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 32c BLEACHED SHEETINGS 25c                                                                                            | Lockwood, Pepperell and Aurora 9-4 Sheetings, full bleached and 81 inches wide, retails up to 32c per yard, sale price, per yard     |
| All \$2.50 Bed Spreads go at                           | \$1.95 | Regular 6c bleached Twilled Toweling, red borders with fast selvege on both edges, very soft and absorbent, at per yard                                                                                                                                                                                | 90c BLEACHED BED SHEETS 69c.                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                      |
| All \$3.00 Bed Spreads go at                           | \$2.25 | 12 1/2c MUSLINS 8 1/2c.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
| All \$4.00 Bed Spreads go at                           | \$2.95 | For this week we offer Hope, Advertiser and Hill's yard-wide bleached Muslins, sold in all                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
| BIG OUT IN BED PILLOWS                                 |        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
| All 60c Bed Pillows, all feathers, sale price, each    | 39c    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
| All 75c Bed Pillows, all feathers, sale price, each    | 69c    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
| All \$1.25 Bed Pillows, all feathers, sale price, each | 75c    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |

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69c

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| New York and Atlantic City         | \$30.00 |
| Thousand Island Park, N. Y.        | \$23.80 |
| Clayton, N. Y.                     | \$23.35 |
| Montreal, Quebec                   | \$25.05 |
| Alexander Bay, N. Y.               | \$24.05 |
| Quebec, Que.                       | \$29.05 |
| Boston, Mass.                      | \$31.00 |

Round trip tickets limited to Oct. 31.

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| Denver, Pueblo and Colorado Springs  | \$28.10 |
| St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn.      | \$18.85 |
| Salt Lake City and Ogden             | \$41.10 |
| To California, Oregon and Washington | \$72.50 |

Special Rates on special days, 50 to 60-days limit.

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| Oregon and Washington points | \$65.00 |

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Advice such as this is given in a little booklet called "The Magic Crystal," issued by the Pacific Coast Borax Co., 1536 McCormick Bldg., Chicago. A copy of this booklet will be sent free to any one who asks for it.

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# HORSE THIEF GUILTY; REBEKAHS TO REQUESTS PAROLE

Says He Has Never Been In Trouble Before.

The prisoners indicted by the grand jury were arraigned Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. John Higgins, charged with burglary and grand larceny, pleaded not guilty.

**ASKE FOR PAROLE.**

William H. H. Johnson pleaded guilty to a charge of horse stealing. He stole a horse and buggy belonging to Oscar E. Williams of Macon a week ago. His home is in Kentucky. This is the first time in his life he ever got into trouble. He had no lawyer and the judge was about to sentence him to the penitentiary, when Assistant State's Attorney C. F. Evans gave Johnson a tip that it would do no harm to ask to be placed on probation. There was no time for explanation and Johnson made the request in as few words as possible; and the court agreed to talk it over with the prisoner before entering the order.

**JUDGE AGREES.**

Later Judge Johns decided he would give Johnson a chance to make good and escape the penitentiary altogether. Parole Officer Dan T. Sullivan will write to men for whom Johnson has worked and learn something of the general character of the young man. If it has been good, Johnson will be admitted to probation provided someone will agree to give him supervision. If he is placed on probation he will have to report regularly to Officer Sullivan, and at the end of the year there have been no complaints about him he will be released from further responsibility.

Should he be sentenced to the penitentiary he would have to serve at least three years before even being admitted to parole.

Johnson has been working in central Illinois for the last ten years as a farm hand, and he declared that he had never been in trouble before. When he entered his plea of guilty the court explained to him that he was entitled to a trial and that he might be acquitted, and that even if found guilty his punishment would be no more severe than if he pleaded guilty at the start. Johnson said he understood that, all right, but that he was guilty and wanted to have it all over as soon as possible.

**OTHERS TO STAND TRIAL.**

The other prisoners all pleaded not guilty. They were charged with burglary and grand larceny. Claire Hutchins was appointed to defend him.

Ray Muser and Alva Hornbuckle, charged with robbery and larceny from the person.

Albert Newman charged with mortgaging to A. T. Summers property he did not own.

David Farr, charged with criminal assault. Attorney J. A. Henson was appointed to defend him.

James Netterville, charged with receiving and aiding in concealing stolen property, said he did not believe he was guilty and would like to consult a lawyer before entering a plea. Attorney D. D. Hill was appointed for the consultation. Netterville says he believed he is going blind. He can hardly see and kept his hand over his eyes all the time in the court room.

Fred Gronkowski, charged with stealing goods from railroad cars in four indictments pleaded not guilty.

William E. Vin Zant, indicted in six counts with attempted criminal assault, pleaded not guilty.

**JUDGMENT FOR \$19,336.**

In the assumpsit suit of J. E. Willis vs. the National Fence and Gate company, in the circuit court Monday, the defendants failed to appear and judgment was entered in favor of Mr. Willis for \$19,336.75 and costs. This is the factory that recently moved to Decatur from Turolo.

Decrees pro confesso were entered in the following divorce cases:

Ethel Jones vs. Willie Jones, C. C. Brown vs. Minnie Brown; Fred Francis vs. Lucy Francis; Elsie M. Harper vs. Owen E. Harper, Pearl Mayberry vs. Earl J. Mayberry.

The foreclosure suit of W. A. Phares vs. Robert A. and Anna B. Garver was settled and stricken.

The trial of criminal cases will start Wednesday of next week. There are more criminal cases than usual at a May term.

There will be no more court until Thursday morning.

# \$35,000 WILL FILED AT TAYLORVILLE

Taylorville, May 20.—The will of the late Bernhard Werning, who died recently, was filed for probate in the county court yesterday. His estate is valued at about \$35,000 and it consists mostly of land in King township. He gives a son, Fred, forty acres of land and Fred is to pay Mrs. Lizkie Friedrich, a daughter of the testator, \$4,000. Herman, another son, is given an eighth and he is to pay Henry, a brother, \$4,500. Edward, a son, is given forty acres and he is to give Mrs. Mary Wagoner, a daughter, \$4,000. The residue of the property is divided equally among the six children.

**\$300 FIRE**

Damage amounting to \$300 was done the residence of George Wilson in Morrisonville Saturday night by fire. The blaze started from a defective flue and the kitchen, dining room and a bedroom were destroyed. The loss is covered by insurance.

**BROTHER DIES**

Mrs. F. M. Hunt was called to Pawnee yesterday by a message informing her of the death of her brother, Harry Staples, Sunday.

Alford & Burdick, engineers, who are laying out the town of Kincaid for E. S. Peabody, the Chicago coal magnate, advertised yesterday for bids for 4 1/2 miles of sewer, nine miles of concrete sidewalk and 60,000 cubic yards of street grading.

**PERSONALS.**

Miss Isabel Dougherty, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who was visiting the family of A. T. Kinney, returned home Sunday.

H. B. Wolfe, of Petersburg, is visiting his son, Dr. H. M. Wolfe.

Mrs. Ralph Kendle, of Pana, is visiting her mother, Mrs. T. J. Tenney.

Mrs. Mary Crabtree and Mrs. John Munsterman are visiting relatives at Petersburg.

Mrs. C. E. Evans and daughter, Miss Beattie Evans, are visiting relatives at Urbana.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Shaw went to Mt. Vernon Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Shaw's mother, Mrs. John C. Miller.

Mrs. Charles Dodd and Mrs. William Dodd are visiting relatives at Decatur.

Mrs. Ella Boethner, of Jonesboro, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. J. Bullington.

Mrs. William Mosier, of Loogootee, Ind., who was visiting her sister, Mrs. John Allman, left for her home Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Crocker is visiting Miss Moss Battle of Springfield.

Mrs. John R. McCurdy is visiting relatives at Pana.

# VOYAGERS ARE NOW ON ILLINOIS RIVER

The last word received here by relatives of Harry Horton and Lealie Hubbard, two Decatur youths who started down to New Orleans by row boat, was to the effect that they expected to get to Meredosia by last Friday. This means they have left the Sangamon and have traveled a considerable distance down the Illinois. They have planned to move along leisurely and without hurry or they would be much further along.

# HEALTHY BABY IS PRECIOUS BLESSING

To Make It Healthy and Keep It Healthy Use a Reliable Baby Laxative.

In spite of the greatest personal care and the most intelligent attention to diet, babies and children will be constipated, and it is a fact that constipation and indigestion have wrecked many a young life. To start with a good digestive apparatus is to start life without handicap.

But as we cannot all have perfect working bowels we must do the next best thing and acquire them, or train them to become healthy. This can be done by the use of a laxative-tonic very highly recommended by a great many mothers. The remedy is called Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and has been on the market for two generations. It can be bought conveniently at any drug store for fifty cents, or one dollar a bottle, and those who are already convinced of its merits buy the dollar size.

Its mildness makes it the ideal medicine for children, and it is also very pleasant to the taste. It is sure in its effect and genuinely harmless. Very little of it is required and its frequent use does not cause it to lose its effect, as is the case with so many other remedies.

Thousands can testify to its merits in constipation, indigestion, biliousness, sick headaches, etc., among them reliable people like Mrs. M. Johnson, 752 Dayton St., Kenosha, Wis. She is the mother of little Dorothy Johnson who was always in delicate health until her mother gave her Dr. Cald-

well's Syrup Pepsin. Mrs. Johnson says: "I never saw such rapid improvement in the health of anyone. Syrup Pepsin is a wonderful remedy and I shall never be without it again." Thousands keep Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin constantly in the house, for every member of the family can use it from infancy to old age. The users of Syrup Pepsin have learned to avoid cathartics, salts, mineral waters, pills and other harsh remedies for they do but temporary good and are a shock to any delicate system.

If no member of your family has ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would like to make a personal trial of it before buying it in the regular way of a druggist, send your address—a postal will do—to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 417 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a free sample bottle will be mailed you.

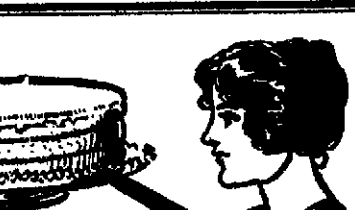


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Your cake will be uniformly even in texture, of that soft, velvety consistency that makes it melt in your mouth, if Rumford Baking Powder is used.

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# Rumford THE WHOLESOME BAKING POWDER

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THEY REMOVE THE CAUSE

Of the Disease Instead of Simply Treating Symptoms as Is the Usual Practice.

A lady came to the United Doctors' Institute for examination the other day who said that she had been under a family physician's care for a little over a year and during that time her medicine had been changed fifty-four times by the doctor. This is too frequently the method used by ordinary doctors. They simply give medicine for this, that, and the other symptoms for temporary relief, without removing the cause which produces these symptoms. If one medicine fails to work they try another in a hit and miss fashion, which is sure to result in failure and discouragement to the patient. This thing of asking a patient to keep on taking medicine, feeling the medicine, talking doubtful, and writing a prescription in a dead language which no one can read, has brought great disaster upon the noble science of medicine, which is no longer distinguished by the truly scientific specialists.

The Doctors some years ago changed this old method when they founded their new system of treatment. They never attempt to treat any case without a searching examination, careful analysis of the blood and secretions and thor-



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don't rely on the dubious drinks of roadside places—take Cicquot along. For Cicquot is pure—pure as Cicquot spring water which flows from bed rock, pure as natural ginger root, pure as confectioners' sugar, pure as lemons and limes.



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# CHRISTMAS Savings Club!

Have You Joined? If Not, Why Not Now?

Can You Still Become a Member?  
YES. ANY TIME ON OR BEFORE SATURDAY, MAY 24th.

Have you thought it over? Do you realize what a help it will be to receive a check two weeks before Christmas; an amount you had not figured on before and are almost unable to realize how it grew. The amount varies according to the class you join, i. e.,

- Class 1, pay 1c the 1st week, 2c the 2d week, 3c the 3d week and so on for 33 weeks and two weeks before Christmas we will mail you a check for \$5.61, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 2, pay 2c the 1st week, 4c the 2d week, 6c the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$11.22, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 3, pay 5c the 1st week, 10c the 2d week, 15c the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$26.65, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 4, pay 10c the 1st week, 20c the 2d week, 30c the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$53.30, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 5, pay 20c the 1st week, 40c the 2d week, 60c the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$106.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 6, pay 40c the 1st week, 80c the 2d week, 1.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$213.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 7, pay 80c the 1st week, 1.60 the 2d week, 2.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$426.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 8, pay 1.60 the 1st week, 3.20 the 2d week, 4.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$852.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 9, pay 3.20 the 1st week, 6.40 the 2d week, 9.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$1705.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 10, pay 6.40 the 1st week, 12.80 the 2d week, 19.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$3411.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 11, pay 12.80 the 1st week, 25.60 the 2d week, 38.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$6822.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 12, pay 25.60 the 1st week, 51.20 the 2d week, 76.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$13644.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 13, pay 51.20 the 1st week, 102.40 the 2d week, 153.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$27289.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 14, pay 102.40 the 1st week, 204.80 the 2d week, 307.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$54579.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 15, pay 204.80 the 1st week, 409.60 the 2d week, 614.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$109158.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 16, pay 409.60 the 1st week, 819.20 the 2d week, 1228.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$218316.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 17, pay 819.20 the 1st week, 1638.40 the 2d week, 2457.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$436633.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 18, pay 1638.40 the 1st week, 3276.80 the 2d week, 4915.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$873267.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 19, pay 3276.80 the 1st week, 6553.60 the 2d week, 9830.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$1746534.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 20, pay 6553.60 the 1st week, 13107.20 the 2d week, 19660.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$3493068.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 21, pay 13107.20 the 1st week, 26214.40 the 2d week, 39321.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$6986137.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 22, pay 26214.40 the 1st week, 52428.80 the 2d week, 78643.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$13972275.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 23, pay 52428.80 the 1st week, 104857.60 the 2d week, 157286.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$27944550.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 24, pay 104857.60 the 1st week, 209715.20 the 2d week, 314572.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$55889100.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 25, pay 209715.20 the 1st week, 419430.40 the 2d week, 629145.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$111778201.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 26, pay 419430.40 the 1st week, 838860.80 the 2d week, 1258291.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$223556403.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 27, pay 838860.80 the 1st week, 1677721.60 the 2d week, 2516643.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$447112806.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 28, pay 1677721.60 the 1st week, 3355443.20 the 2d week, 5033886.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$894225612.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 29, pay 3355443.20 the 1st week, 6710886.40 the 2d week, 10067772.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$1788451225.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 30, pay 6710886.40 the 1st week, 13421772.80 the 2d week, 20133545.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$3576902451.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 31, pay 13421772.80 the 1st week, 26843545.60 the 2d week, 40265318.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$7153804902.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 32, pay 26843545.60 the 1st week, 53687091.20 the 2d week, 80530636.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$14307609804.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 33, pay 53687091.20 the 1st week, 107374182.40 the 2d week, 161060369.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$28615219609.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 34, pay 107374182.40 the 1st week, 214748364.80 the 2d week, 322118547.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$57230439219.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 35, pay 214748364.80 the 1st week, 429496729.60 the 2d week, 644245094.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$114460878438.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 36, pay 429496729.60 the 1st week, 858993459.20 the 2d week, 1288490188.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$228921756876.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 37, pay 858993459.20 the 1st week, 1717986918.40 the 2d week, 2576973827.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$457843513753.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 38, pay 1717986918.40 the 1st week, 3435973836.80 the 2d week, 5153960755.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$915687027507.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 39, pay 3435973836.80 the 1st week, 6871947673.60 the 2d week, 10307915507.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$1831374055014.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
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- Class 41, pay 13743895347.20 the 1st week, 27487790694.40 the 2d week, 41231681388.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$7325496220057.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 42, pay 27487790694.40 the 1st week, 54975581388.80 the 2d week, 82463372083.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$14650992440115.20, plus 3% interest per annum.
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- Class 44, pay 109951162777.60 the 1st week, 219902325555.20 the 2d week, 329853488332.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$58603969760460.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
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- Class 52, pay 28147497671065.60 the 1st week, 56294995342131.20 the 2d week, 84442493013196.80 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$15002616258677964.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
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- Class 55, pay 225179981368524.80 the 1st week, 450359962737049.60 the 2d week, 675539944070571.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$120020930069423718.40, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 56, pay 450359962737049.60 the 1st week, 900719925474099.20 the 2d week, 1351079888211198.40 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$240041860138847436.80, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 57, pay 900719925474099.20 the 1st week, 1801439850948198.40 the 2d week, 2702159776421297.60 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$480083720277694873.60, plus 3% interest per annum.
- Class 58, pay 1801439850948198.40 the 1st week, 3602879701896396.80 the 2d week, 5404319552844595.20 the 3d week, and so on for 33 weeks, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$960167440555389747.2



# PASTOR ASKS FOR SMILING AUDIENCE

Rev. R. A. Slickles, who is to deliver the third lecture at Newman, May 30.—The third sermon-lecture, "The Power of a Smile," was given last Sunday evening by Rev. R. A. Slickles at the Christian church. The pastor requested his audience to bring their smiles and it was a large and smiling crowd which greeted him. Next Sunday evening the men's class will take charge of the service. A number of the men will discuss subjects which are of great importance concerning the relationship of the peo-

ple of today and the church. A very interesting program is being arranged and it is hoped that all will take advantage of this opportunity and attend the services.

The evening of June 1 is the baccalaureate service, so the fourth sermon-lecture will not be given until June 2. The subject at that time will be "The Human Face."

**FIRST BAND CONCERT.**

The first band concert of the season was given last Thursday evening by the Newman band. It was well attended. The business men of Newman have made it possible for the citizens to enjoy good music each Thursday night during the summer months.

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church had a "basket" supper near the Wimberly woods Friday evening.

**VOTED FOR THE WOMEN.**

Rev. R. A. Slickles, Frank Darnall, I. M. Mulliken and Professor J. H. Trinkle went to Hume Thursday evening and acted as judges in a debate concerning whether or not the women should have the right of suffrage. They decided in favor of the affirmative, which was championed by two young women.

Max Plambeck of Colorado was here from Thursday to Monday, the guest of his friends, Miss Alice Albin.

Mrs. Lida Weedman is now making her home in Indianapolis, Mich. She has accepted a position as musician in one of the theaters there.

Miss Leah Hotelling returned to her home near Chicago, after teaching a successful term of school here as teacher of the fifth grade.

Miss Della Rutger was called away Thursday evening on account of the death of her sister-in-law.

Rev. W. W. Henry taught the English and history classes in the high school Friday, during the absence of Miss Rutger.

**FORMER RESIDENT DYING.**

George Belinger, a former resident of Newman, but now of Wichita, Kan., is reported dying with cancer of the mouth.

Mrs. M. V. Jones entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Slickles and children at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell and daughter, Laura, of Villa Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hoot Sunday.

Oliver Campbell of Danville is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Belts were guests

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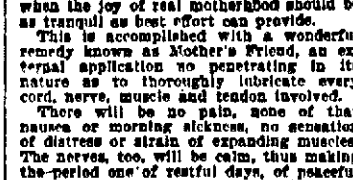
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**SUFFERER REFUSED TO TAKE MEDICINE**

Mrs. William Hurler Death Caused by Tuberculosis.

Coroner Monday Reinterment held an inquest Monday afternoon over the body of Mrs. William Hurler, who died at her home three miles northwest of Blue Mound. The evidence showed that Mrs. Hurler had been a sufferer from tuberculosis for some time, but that, supposedly on account of religious scruples, she refused to take medicine prescribed by the physician. The latter had seen her frequently and urged her to take treatment, but she refused. The verdict was that death was caused by tuberculosis.

The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. The interment will be in the Hall cemetery.

# 600-POUND WOMAN HARD TO HANDLE

Chicago, May 20.—Mary Perry, forty-seven, professional "fat woman," exhibiting at a local amusement park, suddenly became ill from blood poisoning last night and was taken to the county hospital after a series of obstacles had been overcome. She weighs 600 pounds.

**"STRETCHER TOO FRAGILE."**

A police ambulance responded to the call of the park employees but the vehicle was found too small for Miss Perry, and a patrol wagon was substituted. Then the stretcher was found too fragile and it was strengthened by the addition of two pieces of timber.

Breathing heavily, five policemen and three park attendants managed to get her to the patrol wagon.

At the hospital no bed strong enough to support her could be found and two were placed together and supported with chairs.

Attending physicians after examining the patient expressed the opinion she would recover.

# WHO THREW THOSE BOTTLES IN STREET

A passenger on the police car in the train looking for champagne at 1 o'clock last night tossed two bottles into the street just before the train turned into the police station. The bottles were found by a patrolman who saw the incident, but he was unable to catch the person who threw them. The bottles were found broken and the person who threw them was not seen.

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# FORSYTH BEATEN AT TORRENCE PARK

Game Ends With Score of 14 to 3 for the Torrence Park team.

In a game played on the Torrence park diamond Sunday afternoon, the Torrence Park team defeated Forsyth by a score of 14 to 3. The game was played on the Torrence park diamond and the Torrence Park team was victorious.

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# CONFERENCE QUILTS SUBJECT TO CALL

Temperance Board and a Pension Bureau Created.

**RUSH LAST SESSION**

**Bishop Quayle Lectures In Decatur Tonight.**

The twenty-sixth quadrennial conference of the United Brethren in Christ adjourned at 10:15 o'clock Tuesday morning, subject to the call of the bishops.

By noon most of the handful of delegates which were left were out of the city and by night most of the rest had departed for their homes. In the Tuesday morning session there was only a handful of delegates as compared with other sessions, yet some important legislation was passed.

On a motion of A. P. Funkhouser, the number of committees for the general conference was cut from thirty-six to twelve. Each annual conference will select its delegates to the convention and from these delegates they will elect their representatives.

**RESOLUTION OF THANKS.**

Several motions were passed thanking the officers of the Methodist church, the Congregational church and other churches for their cooperation during the conference. Resolutions thanking the press for its support and work were passed.

**TEMPERANCE BOARD.**

The board of bishops was given power to appoint a national temperance board. An order was also issued to the Preachers' Pension board to take out a charter and become a permanent organization of the church.

**UP TO THE EDITOR.**

Orders were issued for the editor of the "Religious Telescope" to have full supervision over what goes into the Telescope and that he was to have charge of the compiling of the pages. No set rules will be made that will give any society in the church a certain amount of space. They will get just what the editor thinks they ought to have.

The motion was made to adjourn by Dr. W. A. Funk of Dayton, O., and seconded by several of the delegates. The conference then sang "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow." After the hymn was sung Bishop G. M. Mathews of Chicago offered prayer and the delegates then hurried to catch out going trains.

**QUARTET PLEASURES.**

The auditorium of the Methodist church was filled Monday night to hear the concert by the Arion quartet. They sang a number of songs which were exceedingly well received by the audience.

The quartet has become famous all over the country. A resolution was passed by the general conference thanking it for its work and recommending the quartet to any organization for concert work.

Ernest Raymond Winsor of Omaha, Neb., a widely known play reader assisted greatly with the concert of Monday night. His work was exceptional and was well received by those attending.

**HELD IT OVER.**

Delegate Started Discussion Just Before Adjournment.

At the eleventh hour Monday some delegate started a discussion and all the plans of the United Brethren conference were held over. The delegates had been hoping that the general conference would adjourn Monday night and the delegates were planning for this. In fact had made all arrangements to leave Decatur, but the conference didn't adjourn until this morning.

A special night session was held from 7 until 10 o'clock Monday night in hopes that the work could be finished up. A couple of reports were heard and then a discussion came up to the relation of the Junior C. R. society and the W. M. A. Adjournment had to be taken at 8 o'clock for the concert by the Arion quartet and this question was left unsettled.

**PREACHERS' PENSION FUND.**

Toward the closing hours business was rushed through in the speediest manner possible. It was decided that a two-thirds board of three-fourths of the preachers' pension fund should be elected, thus conforming with the laws of the church. The report of the committee on ministerial relief forming a preachers' pension fund was adopted. The name of the presiding elder was changed to conference superintendent.

**FINANCE COMMISSION.**

The finance commission elected in an afternoon: East district, D. D. Lowry, J. H. Ruebush; central district, C. W. Kurts, J. M. Conner; northwest district, E. W. Curtis, G. Lambert; southwest district, F. R. Baker, R. H. Bennett; Pacific district, P. O. Bonebrake and Mark Keppel. This commission held a preliminary meeting Monday afternoon and elected Bishop G. M. Mathews president and J. S. Kendall secretary of the finance commission. They will meet again on July 1, in Decatur.

In the Monday evening session W. F. Gruver resigned from the board of directors of the preachers' pension and Dr. A. S. Hammack was elected in his place. The board now includes Rev. R. J. White, George Miller, W. Geth, J. H. Christ and Dr. A. S. Hammack.

On the board of education were elected W. S. Reese, S. F. Daugherty, W. H. Washington, U. M. Ray, P. E. Brook, M. B. Egan, R. P. Daugherty, H. H. Black, Ernest Phillips, Mark Keppel, S. R. Wilhelm, H. W. Ward, J. P. West and W. W. Stoner.

On the board of home missions and church erection was elected G. E. McDonald, A. S. Hammack, C. M. Brook, H. W. Trumbull, C. W. Kurts, Eugene Schaeffer, J. H. Little, Albert Keister and A. E. Funkhouser.

**BISHOP QUAYLE TONIGHT.**

The last of the lecture course attractions in connection with the conference will be given tonight, Bishop W. A. Quayle will be the speaker. The subject being "Hamlet." The lecture will be given in the First Methodist church.

# MARKETS.

## CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Published by F. P. Smith & Co.)

Chicago, May 20.—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

| WHEAT—Open.   | High.    | Low.     | Close.   |
|---------------|----------|----------|----------|
| May           | 1.00 1/2 | 1.00 1/4 | 1.00 1/4 |
| July          | 1.00 1/4 | 1.00 1/8 | 1.00 1/8 |
| Sept.         | 99 3/4   | 99 3/8   | 99 3/8   |
| CORN—Open.    | 50 1/2   | 50 1/4   | 50 1/4   |
| May           | 50 1/2   | 50 1/4   | 50 1/4   |
| July          | 50 1/4   | 50 1/8   | 50 1/8   |
| Sept.         | 49 3/4   | 49 3/8   | 49 3/8   |
| OATS—Open.    | 30 1/2   | 30 1/4   | 30 1/4   |
| May           | 30 1/2   | 30 1/4   | 30 1/4   |
| July          | 30 1/4   | 30 1/8   | 30 1/8   |
| Sept.         | 29 3/4   | 29 3/8   | 29 3/8   |
| POULTRY—Open. | 10 1/2   | 10 1/4   | 10 1/4   |
| May           | 10 1/2   | 10 1/4   | 10 1/4   |
| July          | 10 1/4   | 10 1/8   | 10 1/8   |
| Sept.         | 10 3/4   | 10 3/8   | 10 3/8   |
| MEATS—Open.   | 11 1/2   | 11 1/4   | 11 1/4   |
| May           | 11 1/2   | 11 1/4   | 11 1/4   |
| July          | 11 1/4   | 11 1/8   | 11 1/8   |
| Sept.         | 11 3/4   | 11 3/8   | 11 3/8   |
| RIBS—Open.    | 11 1/2   | 11 1/4   | 11 1/4   |
| May           | 11 1/2   | 11 1/4   | 11 1/4   |
| July          | 11 1/4   | 11 1/8   | 11 1/8   |
| Sept.         | 11 3/4   | 11 3/8   | 11 3/8   |

## Chicago Market Letter.

Chicago, May 20.—WHEAT market lower with the time rather early at the close. Cash wheat higher and domestic crop news continues more or less favorable. There is very little in the situation at this time upon which to base bullish opinion and the wheat market is being furnished by cash markets. Cash markets were generally firm. Some little increase in receipts is expected in the immediate future but we fail to see how this can cause much of a break in prices unless there is a distinct early improvement in weather conditions.

OATS market easier on reports of rains where needed in Illinois. Cash markets were firm. Prices may see a little lower tomorrow but on any break we strongly favor the purchase of oats WARE & LELAND.

## Market Gossip.

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**HOG PRICES IN SHARP GAIN.**

Chicago, May 20.—Hog prices today made sharp gains, but the market was not so strong as it was yesterday. The close was lower than the number expected.

Cattle were quoted generally steady. Support was given by the local packers and local speculators.

Demand for light weight sheep and lambs was fair.

**ELEVATOR STOCKS.**

Chicago, May 20.—Elevator stocks here:

| WHEAT     | CORN       | OATS      |
|-----------|------------|-----------|
| 4,782,000 | 11,922,000 | 1,922,000 |
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**CONTRACT STOCKS.**

Chicago, May 20.—Contract stocks here:

| WHEAT     | CORN      | OATS      |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 3,900,000 | 4,346,000 | 7,922,000 |
| 3,900,000 | 4,346,000 | 7,922,000 |
| 3,900,000 | 4,346,000 | 7,922,000 |

**DROVERS' TELEGRAM.**

Kansas City, May 20.—The Drovers' Telegram has the following crop statement: A traveling man who has been in the corn belt reports: "On my trip from Hutchinson to Kinley, I found wheat only fair as far as condition is concerned. The wheat is not so good as it was last year. The corn is not so good as it was last year. The soybeans are not so good as they were last year. There are poor conditions west of Bucklin, on the Rock Island road and that wheat on the new line out of Dodge City, is all gone."

## Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, May 20.—WHEAT—No. 2 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 3 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 4 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 5 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 6 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 7 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 8 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 9 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 10 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 11 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 12 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 13 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 14 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 15 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 16 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 17 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 18 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 19 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 20 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 21 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 22 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 23 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 24 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 25 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 26 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 27 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 28 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 29 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 30 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 31 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 32 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 33 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 34 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 35 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 36 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 37 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 38 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 39 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 40 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 41 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 42 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 43 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 44 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 45 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 46 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 47 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 48 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 49 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 50 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 51 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 52 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 53 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 54 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 55 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 56 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 57 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 58 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 59 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 60 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 61 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 62 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 63 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 64 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 65 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 66 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 67 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 68 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 69 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 70 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 71 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 72 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 73 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 74 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 75 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 76 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 77 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 78 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 79 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 80 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 81 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 82 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 83 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 84 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 85 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 86 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 87 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 88 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 89 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 90 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 91 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 92 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 93 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 94 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 95 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 96 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 97 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 98 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 99 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 100 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 101 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 102 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 103 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 104 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 105 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 106 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 107 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 108 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 109 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 110 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 111 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 112 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 113 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 114 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 115 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 116 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 117 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 118 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 119 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 120 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 121 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 122 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 123 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 124 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 125 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 126 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 127 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 128 red, 1.00 1/4; No. 129 red, 1

